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To-day the House will discuss the bill admitting Utah to the Union, and the prospect thereby of securing two Democratic members for the Senate.

War between Equador and Peru, over the boundary question, is said to be certain. Bolivia and Chili are backing Equador, for a consideration to be named later.

The French bomb-thrower seems to be anxious to drop his head in a basket and is likely to be gratified. His name is Vaillant, and he would like to have it spelled Valiant.

Six men raided a hotel on Long Island and carried off a bigger pile than the train-robbers usually get. Holding up a hotel is a right interesting change from holding up a train of cars.

A half pound of dynamite was found in a sack of coffee from Mexico by a porter handling the sack in New York. Is dynamite becoming so common that people are expected to take it at their meals?

Secretary Evans, of the Federation of Labor, says in his report that every indication is of hard struggle to maintain wages, because "the present law makers of the Nation refuse to listen to the toiling masses."

The Hawaiin correspondence may not be made public until the end of the week. The public mind being made up, it has none except a curious interest in the correspondence, and a small delay makes small difference.

The distinguished gentleman in charge of the French art exhibit at the Columbian Exposition says that was a great institution, but his heart was nearly broken by the battles in the woman's board. He ought to stay in this country longer and learn that nothing is more delightful.

Whether new railways are built or not the wear and tear upon the more than 170,000 miles of railway in the United States calls for a large amount of new rails every year. Those conversant with this fact will not be surprised to read that the Pennsylvania Railroad has already placed orders for 43,000 tons of new steel rails, to cost one million dollars, for renewals and new track in 1894. The gratifying feature of this order is that it is an assurance that no matter how dull the times may be this progressive corporation purposes to continue the improvement and extension of its system of tracks, thus providing greater facilities for the transaction of its increasing business as well as increased safety and comfort for its many patrons. If all our trunk lines were as progressive there would be plenty of orders for the manufacture of new steel rails not only in 1894, but every year.

The American Forestry Association is appealing to the friends of progressive forestry in all parts of the country to interest themselves in the passage of House bill 119, an act to protect forest reservations. This bill, which was introduced and championed by Representative McRae, of Arkansas, is intended to protect the 18,600,000 acres of public forest reservations from the raids of the professional timber thieves who have become expert enough to steal a log out of its bark with a government official standing on it. Under its provisions the army can be called into requisition to protect the reservations, the experiment having been successfully tried in the Yellowstone and Yosemite reservations There is little doubt that the bill should pass, its chief opponents being those interested in cutting timber on government land, a class whose claims are certainly not paramount to those of the general public.

It is asserted by both friends and enemies of Mr. Cleveland that he is unfortunate in his selection of public servants and many are the surprises which greet the country in the successors of Republican officials. This may happen in this district as it has in other places. So fierce has been the local contest for office that a compromise may be effected upon the appointment of some new man who is less prominent than those mentioned. But the bosses will select the compromise man and after it is done they should retire to the Welsh Mountains for a season to escape assassination. Let it be known that we know nothing as to such a move being on even heard it asserted that such is the fact or case, but it surely looks as if no agreement can be reached by the Democratic bosses, and that their position is like the Lehigh strike—something to be compromised in which each side will get a fraction by giving up a little of what it most insists upon. It is very evident Attorney General Hensel is trying to reconcile factions hitherto antagonistic to him and yet at the same time satisfy friends who have been loyal. This is a difficult straddle which may force a compromise upon some man hitherto neutral.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, Dec. 11, 1893.

"Unless I am very much mistaken that man has all the symptons of softening of the brain." The man who spoke those words was one of the few administration Senators, and he was referring to Mr. Cleveland whom he had just seen. Whether the Senator was right in his diagnosis your correspondent does not pretend to say, but it is becoming evident that Mr. Cleveland's friends think there is something the matter with him. His actions have of late certainly been queer. He is impatient, cross and almost insulting to the few Senators and Representatives he condescends to see at all, and when they afterwards get together and compare notes they find that he is changeable and inconsistent as well. Every discriminating person who has taken the trouble to compare the style of the literary work upon his annual message with that of his messages during his first administration must have discovered a great difference in them. This may, of course, be largely owing to the fact that Dan Lamont finds the duties of Deputy President so exacting that he has no time left to assist in the preparation of executive documents. Be that as it may, Mr. Cleveland's friends—he sees no one else, except in a public way—are certainly showing among themselves uneasiness about his mental condition.

The democrats in the House are acting more like a lot of badly demoralized school boys than statesmen. They promised that the new tariff bill should be reported to the House on the first day of the session, and the bill has not yet been reported, although Mr. Wilson promises that it shall be this week. The democrats of the Ways and Means committee have already made dozens of minor changes in the tariff bill, thus acknowledging that it was not properly considered before it was made public. They are now squabbling among themselves about submitting the bill to a caucus before it is reported, and democrats are openly saying that they will unless certain industries in their districts are protected. The House committee on banking and currency, which has been wrestling with that plank of the Chicago platform, which promised the repeal of the tax on state bank currency, a plank, by the way, that Mr. Cleveland absolutely ignored in his message, has arrived at no conclusion, although its chairman—the much sat upon Springer of Illinois,—has made public a hodge-podge of absurdities that could not possibly be carried into effect, even if they were enacted, showing what alleged progress the committee has made.

The democratic members of the Ways and Means committee are at daggers points concerning the items that are to be included in the internal revenue bill, which ought to have been ready simultaneously with the Cleveland tariff bill. A majority of them favor a personal income tax, but they hesitate about incorporating it in the bill because of Mr. Cleveland's premature announcement, in his message, that the committee had agreed to tax the profits of corporations only. Meanwhile the holiday recess is in sight and nothing has been accomplished.

In obedience to the demand of the Senate resolution passed last week all of the Hawaiian documents will this week be sent to the Senate.

"Like master like man." Secretary Carlisle has refused the request made by officials of the G. A. R. asking that they be allowed to solicit contributions in the Treasury for a Christmas dinner to the indigent soldiers of this department.

The southern claimants will have a picnic if the bill which has been favorably reported from the Judiciary committee of the House ever becomes a law. The bill provides for the repeal of all laws making personal disloyalty a bar to claims against the government for property destroyed during the rebellion, and gives all claimants whose cases were by reason of their disloyalty thrown out of the Court of Claims the right to revive their claims and to have the same rights and privileges in prosecuting them that would be extended to the man who was always loyal to the government. Any person could recognize the jobbery in this bill, even if the southern lobby, headed by ex-Congressman Hempill, of South Carolina, were less conspicuous in its advocacy. That "there are millions in it" if it can be made a law, is apparent to all. Democratic reform will come high, but it will not last long.

The democrats from the south voted almost solidly against the bankruptcy bill which was last week defeated in the House It remains to be seen how they will treat the voluntary bankruptcy bill fathered by Representative Baily, of Texas, which that gentleman will endeavor to push to the front this week.

LIVE AND LET LIVE.

Let no laborer be without work this winter. You who are able, look up something that will afford employment to those who have no work. Let the creditor deal gently with the debtor, and let the debtor make exertions to pay a portion, at least, of his indebtedness. Don't tear up your neighbor or sell him out for a little indebtedness. Remember the Master said a new commandment I give unto you, "That ye love one another." Live and let live should be the motto of all.

A PROGRAMME OF ACTION.

The Republican party is a party of action, of courage, of progress. It has energy to act, courage to carry out its principles and a progressive spirit capable of appreciating the needs of the country. Quick at the trigger when the condition of the country demands legislation, the Republican leaders are equally as prompt to meet the universal appeal from all sections of the country to defeat the revolutionary Wilson Tariff bill. Dispatches from Washington bring the gratifying intelligence that Republican Senators have already arranged a programme of action. which means opposition to the Wilson industrial dynamite gun, from start to finish. There will be no closure resolution, no recognition of majority rights to destroy industries and impoverish the labor of the country, no dallying with the two most dangerous issues since the War of the Rebellion.

Whatever the fate of the Wilson Tariff bill in the House of Representatives, where the overwhelming Democratic majority may force its passage, it will face a calm, patriotic, forcible opposition from the Republicans of the Senate. The same fate awaits the bill for the repeal of the Federal Election laws. These twin measures of Democracy should be fought with every available weapon. Each strikes a fundamental blow at the welfare and existence of the Republic The one will blight the prosperity of a generation and leave our industries at the mercy of foreign countries: the other will remove the safeguards from federal elections and open the way to fraud and corruption, which will disgrace American institutions. To oppose such legislation is the duty of every patriotic Senator who has the interest of American capital and labor at heart and who believes in an honest ballot and a fair count.

Let the debate on both these vital issues be long and convincing. Let it appeal to a people now awakening, as it were, to the pending danger. Let it reach the hearts of the people that they may supplement the vigorous and eloquent words of statesmen with appeals for the homes and firesides of the land. Surely some Democrats will, when the time comes be found voting for the protection of American industry and the defense of American institutions. However this may be, the duty of the hour is for Republicans to fight both the Federal Election law repeal and the passage of the Wilson Tariff bill. Fight them both!

FREE PUFFS.

It is not the province of a newspaper to deal out free advertising in the shape of "puffs" and complimentary notices, and yet how many business men in this world expect and even ask them. A newspaper is run like any other business, for the sole purpose of making a living for its proprietor. This it cannot possibly do, if it is to be filled with free advertising. How many business men are there in any town who gives the newspaper proprietor anything free? Not one, we venture. He is asked and required to pay regular price for everything he buys, and yet, at the very time he is paying the merchant, that same man may be asking for "a send off" in his paper on the grounds that it will "be interesting to his readers to know where to get this, that and the other." And, poor fools, that some newspaper men are, they go right to their office and spin out a half a column or so of stuff—the very best kind of advertising matter—about Mr. So and So's handsome stock, etc., and imagine they have done a good turn. They have. They have turned the tide of trade to a merchant's store who is reaping the benefit in dollars and cents, while the editor scratches his head and wonders why business men won't advertise.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKET ON THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

For the benefit of the increased travel which the holiday season always brings, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will this year sell excursion tickets between the various stations on its system at the reduced rate of two cents per mile. Such tickets will be sold between all stations on the Downingtown and Lancaster Branch and the United Railroads of New Jersey Division. The dates of sale are December 22d to 25th and December 29th to January 1st, 1894 inclusive, valid for return until January 3d, 1864, inclusive.

Ripans Tabules cure dyspepsia.

THE STARVATION WAGES POLICY.

The President's virtual admission in his message that "free raw materials" and "low tariff duties" will result in "lower rates of wages" is an acknowledgment of facts that could no longer be denied. When Mr. Cleveland was a candidate for the Presidency his public addresses were filled with assertions that tariff reform meant substantial improvement in the condition of the workingman. If he had made such a confession as that contained in his message during the last Presidential campaign the result would have been overwhelming defeat for the Democratic party. Now that he is in office, with the Southern Bourbons bent on striking down American industries, behind him, he coolly admits that the statements of The Republican and other protectionist newspapers in regard to wages were true. The workingmen whose votes gave him the Presidency are informed, on the threshold of a bitter winter, with poverty staring them in the face, that the whole Democratic argument in behalf of a revenue tariff was a fraud and a falsehood; that their wages, already grievously reduced, are to be cut down still further; and that they must rely on the chance that "free raw materials" will give them "steady employment" for the opportunity to earn a scanty living for themselves and their families.

The gravity of the industrial situation is shown by the dispatches which appear in the daily papers. Recent issues of which have contained the news of the prospective shutting down of New Jersey potteries employing 4,000 hands; of a 20 per cent, reduction in the wages of the employees of the Pullman repair shops at Wilmington; of a similar reduction in the pay of the 1,200 men employed in railway repair shops at Reading; of a 10 per cent. cut in wages in the Sawyer Woolen Mills; of the notice of the Miller Brothers' Cutlery Company in Meriden that, if the Wilson bill, reducing the duty on pocket cutlery 60 per cent., became a law, a reduction of 40 or 50 per cent in wages was inevitable; of the closing of carpet mills at West Cornwall; of the closing of knitting mills in Troy: of further reductions in wages in knitting mills in Cohoes; and of the united protest of Newark pearl button manufacturers against the ruinous Wilson bill. New York Daily Press of last Friday contained an interview with Mr. Arthur Dodge, senior member of the firm of Arthur Dodge & Co., in which the statement is plainly made that if the felt goods factory in Dolgeville, N. Y., is to be run at all under the Wilson bill, wages of employees must be reduced at least 30 per cent.; an account of a great mass meeting of workingmen Amsterdam, N. Y. to protest against the Wilson bill; and the news of a prophesied reduction of from 30 to 45 per cent. in the wages of 1,500 employees of the Wheeling (W. A.) Iron and Steel Works.

The Cleveland humbug of "better times" has vanished. The "lower rates of wages" which Mr. Cleveland holds out as a prominent result of Democratic legislation—or" worse still, no wages and no work at all—are becoming the universal substitutes for the prosperity, high wages and comfort of Republican rule. It is openly announced in Administration organs like the Boston Herald that all the power and patronage of the President will be used without shame or scruple to compel reluctant Democratic Senators to vote for the starvation wages bill framed by the Ways and Means Committee. The outlook is indeed dark unless Republicans in Congress can obstruct the infamous Wilson measure until the people can elect a House of Representatives that will defend their interests. There must be no hesitation, no timidity, no delay in opposing ruinous free trade. Fight the Wilson bill at every stage; and fight it to the death!

We urge this not only on our congressmen and Senators but also upon every one, to do what they can in every way to prevent this ruinous policy. The people of Centre county no matter what occupation they follow are suffering as they have not suffered for thirty years by the condition of affairs produced by this threatened onslaught upon the business of the country proposed by Cleveland and his party. Every man woman and child therefore should let their influence reach out as far as Washington if possible to keep back this wicked legislation.

A VOTE FROM HAWAII.

"As surely as there is an eternal justice overruling the affairs of men, so sure will the gross outrage proposed to be done to Hawaii fail of its purpose."

This declaration, this appeal, comes not from a foreign nation in which we have no interest or kinship, but from men of American blood, of American Revolutionary ancestry, of deep and sincere attachment to American principles and institutions. It is an appeal worthy of our kindred, and worthy of the cause in which it is uttered. It is an appeal which will echo from the Pacific to the Atlantic, which will set American hearts to beating faster, and will cause even what Senator Hoar calls "the dull ears of the Executive" to tingle. The outrage against which the enlightened and civilized people of Hawaii appeal to an overruling providence is the proposal of an American President to overthrow the existing government of Hawaii, and to restore a degraded and semi barbarous monarchy. It is an outrage without parallel in American history, an outrage as infamous as it is contrary to international law, and in defiance of the spirit and letter of the Constitution of the United States.

But, says Cleveland's Ambassador, Bayard, in London. "President Cleveland will deal with the meek Hawaiians in the most magnanimous manner, and will not force upon them a government which they have not had a full chance to discuss." Indeed! Who gave Grover Cleveland a right to force upon the Hawaiians a government, whether they have had a chance to discuss it or not? Who or what gave him a right to force a government upon them under any circumstances, or to interfere in any way with their established government? Certainly not the Congress of the United States. Certainly not the Constitution of the United States. Have Cleveland and his associates and sympathizers in this infamous plot gone mad in their eagerness to crush enlightened government in Hawaii, and to restore the degraded Queen? Such would almost seem to be the case. Otherwise there can be no reasonable explanation of their outrageous proclamations of Cleveland's right to destroy a recognized and independent government, and to set up a throne which the civilized people of Hawaii have discarded. It is the manifest duty of Congress to bring the surper in the White House to his senses, and to vindicate American traditions American principles and the American Constitution by holding him to strict accountability for any and every act which he has perpetrated or attempted in excess of the constitutional powers of the Executive.

AN ITALIAN REPUCLIC.

If the monarchy in Italy should be over thrown to give place to a republic similar to the French Republic, and therefore likely to be permanent, the American people would welcome the change as a triumph for the principles of popular government. Any republic is better than a monarchy, for the monarchical principle is an insult to the dignity and an offense against the intelligence of mankind. Whether in Rome or Honolulu, thrones and crowns have no right that the people are bound to respect. Not even the fear that an Italian republic might indulge, at the beginning, in serious excesses would be a bar to American favor and recognition. Even the French Revolution, with its reign of terror, resulted in great good to France and to Europe in general, in effacing the old aristocratic regime which had for ages tyrannized over the French people, and in clearing away from the map of Europe a multitude of petty princes and principalities far more oppressive than the centralized despotisms and constitutional monarchies which succeeded to their jurisdiction.

The existing Italian monarchy is regarded with approval and sympathy by Americans because it is a distinct advance from the rule of Bombas and grand dukes under which the Italian people used to groan. The house of Savoy has guided Italy to national unity, and has gained for the revived nationality an important place among European States. The King of Italy is an enlightened and progressive monarch, and doubtless strives to do all that a king can do for the good of his people; and the monarchy, as it exists, is far to be preferred to any return to the old medieval regime. But, after giving the house of Savoy all the credit that is its due, the American people will be ready in accord with American traditions and principles, to extend a hearty grasp of welcome to an Italian republic whenever the Italian people conclude to dispense with a king. The serious scandals affecting members of the Italian Government and bringing forth the radical element in championship of public honesty and in opposition to corrupt methods in high places, naturally suggest a radical movement that may displace the monarchy; and should the movement be successful no sympathy for the Italian King, however excellent a king he may be, would prevent Americans from saluting an Italian republic.

WAS INSTANTLY KILLED.

Philipsburg, Pa., December 12.—Patrick Hyde, 16 years of age, was instantly killed by a fall of coal in No. 7 mine at Sterling to-day. In the Lancashire mine, near Philipsburg, John Patrick was killed by a fall of rock.

THE STATE GRANGERS.

What Hon. Leonard Rhone Had to Say on the Various Things,

Harrisburg, Dec. 12.—The Twenty-first annual session of the Pennsylvania state grange opened here to-day. Worthy Master Rhone in his annual address devoted considerable space to the financial question. He says among other things: "All farmers' organizations are a unit in demanding that $50 per capita should be fixed as the amount of the circulating medium of money—gold, silver and paper on a parity which should emanate from and be controlled exclusively by the general government. All favored banking institution should be abolished and all currency be a full legal tender for payment of all debts public or private. The government should control the volume of money absolutely and not delegate it to any class of people. The free coinage of silver and gold and the issue of United States notes instead of the present national bank currency until the volume shall have reached the amount we have indicated, we believe to be the true policy and the only one that will give permanency to the currency. Place it beyond the power of any class to contract or inflate and the true interests of the country will be subserved. Sufficient gold must be held in reserve to redeem the United States bonds abroad as they mature and pay balance of trade in their favor.

"The friends of a single gold basis insist that if we encourage the free coinage of silver it will be impossible for us to maintain it on a parity. They tell us if we add to the $600,000,000 of silver coin already in existence that our financial ship will sink. I know there is an old adage that it is the 'last straw that breaks the camel's back,' but I cannot believe that a few additional millions of silver coin will impede financial progress or cause the great ship of state to flounder."

In regard to tariff revision he says the grange does not maintain any fixed standard. He says: "If the manufacturer insists upon free raw material and protection upon manufactured articles, so far as relates to the raw material produced by the great agricultural class, we dissent. We claim the same measure of protection that is awarded the manufacturers. In other words, if the tariff reform is intended as a nearer approach to free trade, we will abide the result. If, on the other hand, protection is awarded the manufacturer who has to compete with foreign labor, then the grange insists upon the same measure of protection to enable the farmer to compete with foreign labor in producing raw material."

He advocated equality of state taxes, free mail delivery in rural districts and the election of United States senators by the people.

The committee on legislation now in session will probably be able to report by to-morrow.

WENT RIGHT IN.

Senator P. Gray Meek, of Bellefonte, says the Pittsburg *Times*, was in Washington for a few days recently, during which business called him to some of the departments. Those who have had occasion to go there know very well the importance assumed by private secretaries, chief clerks, doorkeepers and other underlings who stand between the public and the higher officials. Uppish as the latter sometimes are, they are frequently humility and accessibility personified compared with their understrappers. Going to one department, Senator Meek desired to see its chief.

"Oh, you can't see him now, sir," said the clerk. "He's very busy."

"Well, when can I see him?"

"I don't know. He's very busy, and you'll have to wait."

"Well, I'm busy, too," rejoined the Senator, "and I can't wait."

"I'll take in your card, but I'm sure he can't see you."

"I haven't got a card, and I'm going in there. If he's too busy to see me I can come out," and into the holy of holies Senator Meek walked, despite the objections of the clerk. "And there I found him," said Mr. Meek in talking of it, "not doing a thing and glad to see me. I spent an hour with him, and he never mentioned being busy."

CLEVELAND THANKS MILLS.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The president has sent to Senator Mills, of Texas, under date of Dec. 8, the following note:

"My Dear Senator—I have just finished reading your speech on the Hawaiian resolution, and, though it is now midnight, I must, before I go to bed, thank you for it. It is a manly, sincere assertion of truly American sentiments, and deals with national honor, conscience and love of justice in the way that will certainly find response in the depth of every true American heart.

"Yours very truly,

"Grover Cleveland."

PRENDERGAST ON TRIAL.

The Murderer of Chicago's Mayor Up Before a Jury.

CHICAGO, December 8.—The first tilt between the lawyers occurred over a question put to a venireman by the prosecution regarding the difference between legal and medical insanity. Prendergast broke in and appeared highly pleased because States Attorney Trade approved of his remakrs for obvious reasons. Attorney Wade jumped up with a vigorous objection to the state describing to the jury the difference between legal and medical insanity and educating the veniermen in a way which would be prejudicial to the defendant. Law books were called for the case forcibly argued, Attorney Trude admitting that the form of insanity was an important factor in the case.

"The only question we can try here is the legal insanity of the defendant," said Attorney Wade.

"Legal insanity is where a man's mind is in such a condition that he cannot discriminate between right and wrong," said Attorney Trude.

"Mr. Trude is right, your honor," exclaimed Prendergast. "The question is what is right and wrong. It depends on a man's conception."

"I agree with Mr. Prendergast," said Mr. Trude quick to see an impression might be made on the jurors. "It is a clear cut definition."

The lawyers for the defense saw that Prendergast was weakening his defense and protested against the state having any thing to say to the defendant. One of the lawyers went over to Prendergast and warned him to keep silent.

Eight jurors had been secured when court adjourned. The four obtained today are businessmen like the first four.

Prendergast's last interruption of the day was to ask the court: "Your honor, is not murder the taking of life with malice aforethought? Is not that the rule?" The judge did not answer. Attorney Trude said, evidently for effect on the jury: "That is the rule of law. You are quite right, Mr. Prendergast."

Lawyers Todd and Wade became quite sarcastic towards each other and severly critical. Prendergast took a hand in the tilt also. The defense did not like the passing of two prejudiced veniremen by the state, and Mr. Wade gained his point of excusing both for cause, and induced the judge to change his decision to overrule the challenge in one case. It was a dear victory for the defense. The court tried to preserve harmony by saying he believed both sides were trying to hasten the trial and to be fair. Prendergast broke in to say: "I don't know that there is much haste about this case, your honor."

There was a general exclamation of surprise that the murderer should think the trial was going too slowly to suit him. The judge excused a law student from serving on the jury on the ground that a lawyer made the worst kind of a juror.

MONEY IN EGGS.

A special dispatch from Punxsutawney says: About fourteen years ago I. D. Doverspike, of Eddysville commenced to handle eggs on a small scale, and during the last few years he has developed a wonderful industry in that line. His method is to buy up thousands of dozens of eggs during the early spring and summer months when eggs are cheap, and preserve them in vats containing a solution of lime, and something else, which he says is the secret of the business, until winter sets in and the price of eggs goes up. Then he ships them to the cities.

During the past summer he stored away in vats over 70,000 dozens of eggs, and besides he shipped to Pittsburgh and vicinity about 30,000 dozens of fresh eggs. Up to the 1st of this month he had disposed of over 50,000 dozens of his preserved eggs, and has a sure market for the balance notwithstanding the hard times. Mr. Doverspike has two egg caves, one in Eddysville and one in Kittanning. The vats which contain the eggs are built of brick, and are about five feet high and hold ten to fifteen thousand dozens of eggs each. The eggs are scooped in and out of these vats, much as we handle coal, but few eggs are broken. He has over 1,000 egg cases, which hold from thirty to forty dozens each, besides over 100 crates, which are used in shipping the eggs. Mr. Doverspike has been so successful at this egg business that he has become worth from $60,000 to $70,000. He owns a large store and roller mill at Eddysville, and in fact almost the entire town is his property. Beside this he owns three or four good farms in Armstrong county, and also lands in Washington state.

QUAY MAKES AN ARREST.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., December 8.—A special to the Times from Fort Pierce, Fla., says: Senator Quay, his son Richard P. J. Hoban and Peter K. Hughes, two Philadelphia guests, at daybreak this morning captured Isaac Robinson and Marion Williams, two fishermen, in a sloop in front of his residence, at St. Lucie, fishing with gill nets in violation of the law prohibiting fishing within one mile of any inlet. The prisoners were brought here and given a hearing and were held in $300 bail each for court.

A PHYSICIAN IN TROUBLE.

QUAKERTOWN, Pa., December 8.—The body of Mrs. George Reinert, who died at Richlandtown, near here, on November 5, was to-day exhumed by direction of District Attorner Applebaugh, it being alleged that Mrs. Reinert was a victim of mal practice. A coroner's inquest was subsequently held and the verdict of the jury was that the deceased came to her death from pelvic peritonitis, produced by drugs and other substances, and the use of instruments at the hands of the family physician, Dr. Milton H. Weaver. The district attorney will shortly issue a warrant for the arrest of the physician, who will probably waive a hearing. The case has created a sensation. Dr. Weaver has been practicing in this locality for fifteen years and is well known.

BANKRUPTCY DEFEATED.

The Vote on the Measure Was 142 to 111.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The defeat of the bankruptcy bill was the principal incident in the house. This was accomplished by a vote of 142 to 111, on a motion made by Mr. Bland, of Missouri, that the house concur in the recommendation made by the committee of the whole that the enacting clause be stricken out. Prior to the decisive vote Mr. VanVoorhis, of New York, inquired if a motion to recommit the bill to the judiciary committee was in order, to whice the speaker replied that it was not. This finally disposes of the bill unless it should be passed by the senate and come to the house. A motion for reconsideration, under the rules, must be made the same day on which the vote is taken or the succeeding day, and the house by a formal vote adjourned till Monday.

The chief feature of the concluding debate was an eloquent appeal by Mr. Conror, of Illinois to the Democratic majority for the enactment of some legislation which would afford relief to the business interests of the country, and a reply by Mr. Bland, declaring that the bankruptcy bill was demanded by the banking and mercantile interests in order that the debtor classes might be still further oppressed.

In the morning hour a motion by Mr. Kilgore, of Texas, to take up for consideration the bill admitting Utah territory as a state produced two roll calls for the purpose of securing a quorum, when the motion fell by reason of the hour expiring.

At 2.55 the house adjourned until 12 o'clock Monday.

STRIKERS GETTING EMPLOYMENT.

WILKESBARRE, December 8.—There is nothing new here to-day concerning the Wyoming division of the Lehigh Valley railroad. The old men are still enrolling their names, and many of them are being employed. There is a gradual thinning out of the new men on the ground of incompetency, and they are being subjected to the same tests as those to which the new employes always go through. It was reported to-day that some of the strikers at Sayre were as yet disatisfied. John H. Rice left for there this afternoon to explain fully the terms of the agreement to the men at that point.

A large number of the coal and iron police have been paid off and released this evening, and all trains are now running on scheduled time.

WILL SPEND $1,000,000.

PHILADELPHIA, December 8.—It was announced this afternoon that the Pennsylvania railroad company has placed its annual order for steel rails contracts having been executed with the Pennsylvania Steel company, the Cambria Iron company and the Carnegie mills for the delivery of 43,000 tons of the standard steel rails used on the Pennsylvania lines.

It is understood that 36,000 tons are to be furnished by the Pennsylvania Steel company at $27 per ton, and the remaining 7,000 tons are to be divided between the Cambria and Carnegie works, and to cost $25 per ton. The total outlay of the company will amount to a little more than $1,000,000.

AN INSANE MURDERESS.

NEW YORK, December 8.—Assistant District Attorney Vernon M. Davis announced this afternoon that he has received a report from Drs. Carlos MacDonald and Austin Flint, insanity experts, thet they have examined Mrs. Catharine Fitzgerald, who shot and killed Mrs. Carrie Pearsall, and find her to be insane. Mrs. Fitzgerald was indicted for murder in the first degree by the grand jury. This report will not prevent her going to trial on the indictment, but it is probable that after the testimony of the experts she will be adjudged insane by a jury and commited to that institution. Mrs. Fitzgerald is the wife of a clerk in the county clerk's office and a sister of Police Inspector McLaughlin.

AN AMERICAN IN TROUBLE.

BRUSSELS, December 8.—The defense of George Bunn, an American artist, who is on trial for the murder of Anna Hoffman, a servant girl of whom he was enamored, in the Antwerp court of assizes opened today. It was brought out in the evidence that Bunn had been a federal soldier in the American civil war and that he was wounded in the head. Since then he has been subject to fits of abberation of mind, during which he is not responsible for his actions. The jury found Bunn guilty, but added that they were extenuating circumstances. The court sentenced him to fifteen years imprisonment at hard labor.

—Mr. Amos Garbrick this morning received from a friend in Sandusky, Ohio, two pair of Cochin China chickens, full-blood and thorough-bred. They are beauties, and no mistake, and take the spots off of anything in the fowl line seen in Bellefonte this long time.

HASH.

Have you selected your Christmas present—Only those merchants who advertise in the DAILY NEWS are doing a rushing business—Newton B. Spangler, Esq., is soon to become a benedict, 'tis said—Tomorrow is Rev. Wheeler's Sabbath and his vacation will soon be here—John Rupp, present register, may start a slate pencil factory when his term expires—It is now known why certain councilmen did not want their "pieters" in the paper—A new coal yard has been opened at the Red School house on the line of the C. R. R. of P.—The small boy and love-sick maiden are looking up their skates—The ice cutter will soon begin work—Senator Meek's new porch adds greatly to the beauty and value of his residence—Bellefonte has more beautiful girls to the square inch than any other town in the world—And they all concede the DAILY NEWS the best paper published—G. W. Rees says the children's Santa Claus letters are a nuisance—If you wish to enjoy your Christmas you must pay your printer's bills—Everybody will attend the Cantata Monday and Tuesday evenings—Some people think the Board of Trade banquet to the officials of the C. R. R. of Pa., was gotten up for the purpose of getting a big feed—And others think it very ill-timed—While certain newspaper scribes are wondering if they will be there—After the Cantata the teacher's institute will be the next occasion of importance; then comes the Logan's fair—Mac Laurie and Oscar Yerger will soon be ready to wash Bellefonte—A pretty big undertaking if they propose extracting all the filth—The children are wondering what they will get on Christmas and their papas are worrying how to get it—We could make a column of "hash," but must now give time to weightier subjects.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

On Tuesday Mr. Sampsell who lives on the Shugert's farm near Pleasant Gap, butchered and the work was nearly completed when an accident occurred which might have proved a sad blow to the Sampsell family.

In going about the usual duties incident to butchering day Mrs. Sampsell got too close to the fire and in an instant her clothing was all ablaze. The flames had completely enveloped her before her cries attracted the attention of her husband who ran to her rescue. He succeeding in putting them out and thus saved the life of his wife. Had he been a few moments later there can be no doubt but that we would have had a fatal accident to record. —*Watchman.*

—The State fishery in Lehigh county is now engaged in hatching out 2,000,000 trout fry. The process of gathering the eggs is interesting. When the lower jaw of the females lengthens they are ready to spawn. They are then caught in a net and taken into the hand, held over a vessel, the hand gently pressed over the abdomen, which causes the eggs to flow out in a steam. The impregnated eggs are then placed on screens in the hatching trough over which a continuous stream of fresh water flows. They remain there until hatched out—about 21 days—when they drop through the screens into the botton of the trough, which is covered with pebbles.

AND THIS IS GREATNESS.

The Huntingdon *Local News* says: Our former townsman John C. Miller had the honor of presiding over the deliberations of the Bellefonte Town Council on Monday evening for the first time, but when he was called upon to give a decison in favor of public improvement that offended some of the members of the council, he was left alone, and he is now questioning the truth of the poetry: "Honor and fame from no condition rise; act well your part, there all the honor lies." President Miller is sustained by the progressive citizens.

FELL FORTY FEET.

Michael Britt a pump tender at the Berwind White coal shaft, near DuBois, made a misstep Thursday afternoon, and fell to the bottom of the shaft a distance of 40 feet. Several men were working at the bottom of the shaft, and Britt came near falling upon one of them. They picked up the body of the unfortunate man who never moved after striking the bottom. His back was broken and there were several bad cuts on his head. He was aged 37 years and leaves a wife and several children.

COURT AFFAIRS.

All of Thursday's session of court was taken up with the trial of the damage case of L. A. M. Kimport against M. G. Brown. The action was one to recover damages for timber cut on property of Kimport, which property was also claimed by Brown the division line never having been fully and satisfactorily established. Kimport estimated his damages at several hundred dollars but the jury, in giving him a verdict awarded him only $97.

UP IN YEARS.

There were three healthy-looking men sitting together in the Court House on Thursday of this week whose united ages summed up two hundred and fifty-one years. Their names were Mr. John Wagner, aged 86; Mr. John Curtin, aged 84; and Mr. Samuel Gilliland, aged 81 years. These men were all born and have lived in Centre county all their lives.

—It is said that there is a man in Bellefonte so smitten with the Wheeler doctrine that he declares he will forfeit a $30-a-month situation rather than work on Saturday. It's a good thing for that man that he isn't a little boy with a mother who wore slippers.

THEY GOT LEFT.

It is not often that two pretty, petite charming and effusive specimens of the feminine persuasion get left, but this is just what happened to two of the lady students of State College on Thursday afternoon. They came to Bellefonte on the 3.40 train to do some shopping intending to return on the train leaving Bellefonte at 4.40. Now everybody knows how long it takes a female girl to select a hat "just to suit," one that Tom, Jim or John would like, and, of course these two college maidens were no exceptions to the rule. They shopped and they shopped; they tried one thing and then another; they finally made what purchases they desired and then started for the depot. It was a little late and the girls thought they had better run a little. They did; they come down High street in a regular college gait arriving at the depot somewhat out of breath and a little flushed, perhaps, (which, however, made them look all the prettier) but, cruel fate; the train had been gone ten minutes.

On being so informed the one young lady insisted that it had departed ahead of time and proved it by her little gold watch, but when she came to compare it with the great ugly big ticker in the depot office, she found that she was just twelve minutes too slow. Of course, the train was gone beyond recall but the girls had to get to State College that evening and at once began to hustle for a conveyance of some kind, and here, we are sorry to say, is where the Bellefonte youths lack in gallantry. Not one in all this town would volunteer to take the evening drive of twelve miles with those two charming girls as companions, and the outcome of it was they finally succeeded in engaging Mr. Fisher, for a certain consideration, to take them home, and when the night shades began to gather the girls that "got left" were left no more.

LIST OF PATENTS.

Granted to Pennsylvania inventors this week. Reported by C A Snow & Co., Solicitors and Foreign Patents, Opp U S Patent Office, Washington, D C.

A P Aiken, Port Perry. Lifting—jack S D Ayars, Jr., Chester Preventing moisture on windows. J H Baker, Allegheny. Wagon-running gear. Grant Blair, Curtew Oar—coupling, Lancaster. Hitching-strap. C A Dietz, Danville. Orange-knife. A & S A Diffenderfer, Allensville. Gate. G K Flower, Pittsburg Type writing machine, C A Goyne Ashland Duplex steam-pump. A Grieves & T F Frazier, Allegheny. Welding cylinders. W H Hay Prospects Sucker-rod elevator. S J Hayes. Pittsburg Process of and appartus for generating and applying anaesthatic vapors. D F Hookins, Allegheny. Device for racing and lower-inginswinging sashes. S Jenkins Lansdale Elevator for liquics R Lewis Norristown, & G Morgan West New Brighton, N Y Apparatus for cleaning and polishing coated metal plates. G W McClure & C Amsler, Pittsburg Hot-blast stoves. B C J McGuire Summer Hill Kayed-spike cast-iron railway cross-tie. J A Morrell Lansdale Process of and appartus for evaporating cane-juice. R B Painton, Williamsport, Ship. G Palm, Butler Packer for Artesian wells. M C Parker, Wavarly Thill-coupling. D A Reagan, Altoona. Valve—steam shield. J C Richardson, Smithport Nail—holding tool. H A Ruha, Jeannette Machine for engraving glass ware. C T Scheen, Allegheny Combined rail brace and tieplate. C F Scott, Pittsburg Laminated coverter—core. J H Simons Warren. Sewing—cabinet and work table. B Talbot, Pencoyed Bottom plate for steel ingot molds. H E Werline, Marietta Electric double-pole fixture cut out. W H Wood, Media Hydraulic riveting machine. A Wurts, Pittsburg, Lightning—arrester.

OF INTEREST TO NATIONAL GUARD

Representatives of the Gettysburg land association were in Harrisburg recently to confer with Adjutant General Greenland on the selection of a site for the division encampment of the National guard. It is understood that the level open space across which Pickett made his charge will be selected. The division encampment next year takes the place of the one that would have been held this year, but which was turned into regimental camps, owing to the breaking up of the regular camp in 1892 by the Homestead affair. General Greenland says the guard was never in better condition, and there is no intention at present of disbanding any companies to make room for others, nor of forming a new artillery company.

SOME INTERESTING FIGURES.

HARRISBURG, Pa., December 8.—In a statement of the payments for the year compiled at the state treasury to-day, it is shown that the personal property tax returned to the counties amounted to $3,018,640.69. The common schools received $4,865,807.10, and the soldiers and orphans schools $90,255.62. The total payments on account of the sinking fund were $427,439.31, and the grand total $13,423,064.77.

INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

HARRISBURG, December 8.—The annual report of the State factory inspector is now in course of preparation. It shows thorough systematic inspection of all manufacturing institutions and similar establishments in the State. There have been numerous instances of violations of the law reported and finally rectified through the instrumentality of Mr. Watchorn. He believes that there are numerous "sweating establishments" in Pennsylvania, especially in Philadelphia, which manage to evade the law, but which he hopes to bring to terms soon. The next Legislature will probably extend his powers.

OF INTEREST TO ATTORNEYS.

The revenue act of 1879 gives a preference in lien to the commonwealth on the real and personal property of corporations for taxes due under the act. The auditor in distributing the assigned estate of the Goodwin gas and stove company, of Philadelphia, has decided on a claim of the commonwealth that its claim for taxes does not take priority but is only entitled to the same percentage as the common creditors. The auditor's report is to be filed to-morrow. Attorney General Hensel has already filed exceptions to the report and this important question will have to be decided by the common pleas court of Philadelphia or in the supreme court of the state unless the auditor changes his ruling. This is the first case of the kind where there were no lien crelitors that has been decided against the commonwealth.

—Leighton R. Gibson, who was the popular captain of the Tyrone River league base ball club last summer, has relinquished ball playing to become a landlord. "Whitey" has leased a hotel at Farmersville Lancaster county and in a short time will take charge of the place.

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—Mr. A. T. Piper was on Friday appointed postmaster at Lamar, Clinton county.

—The Lutheran choir's sociable held at the residence of Mr. H. Y. Stitzer, on Thursday evening, was a success in every particular.

—On Thursday the first local freight came in over the C. R. R. of Pa. It consisted of two or three boxes of tobacco and such like.

—During the first week in January Prof. P. H. Meyer, of Boalsburg, will hold a musical convention in the Presbyterian church at Hunters. A long list of good singers has already been secured.

—On Thursday George Gummo and the Bierly brothers, from Pennsvalley, passed through Bellefonte on their way home from a ten days' hunt in the Green woods. They had with them two very fine deer as the fruits of their united labor.

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THE LATE MR. LILLY'S WILL.

MAUCH CHUNK, December 6.—The will of the late General William Lilly was admitted to probate to-day. It bequeaths his estate, which is variously estimated at from $1,500,000 to $2,060,000, to his relatives, thirteen in number, dividing it equally among them. Hon. W. H. Stroh, J. M. Dreisbach and Edgar Twining are the executors.

M'GLYNN IS COY.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., December 6.—The Rev. Dr. Edward McGlynn who, it is alleged, is being pushed forward by his friends in New York and Brooklyn for the appointment of embassador of the United States to Italy would neither affirm nor deny the story this morning.

Michael Diehl, one of the oldest and most widely known citizens of Blair county, died at his home in Friends' Cove, a few days ago, aged 86 years, 7 months and 25 days.

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BETHLEHEM, Pa., December 5.—There is every reason to believe that the strike is settled. At 2.30 this afternoon, when the meeting between President Wilbur and the officials of the Lehigh Valley road and state boards of arbitration of New York and New Jersey terminated, neither side would speak. General Manager Voorhees said that the arbitrators would make an announcement to-night. He had pledged himself to secrecy. He did say, however, that the road had given its final answer; on the other hand, the arbitrators were all smiles and went direct to the hotel where the Lehigh Valley grievance committee is stopping. The conditions of the settlement are not known, but that a settlement is affected is certain.

Chief Arthur, Chairman Clark and others have been in session here considering President Wilbur's ultimatum since 10 o'clock. At midnight a committee of two left the conference to call on President Wilbur to try to effect some modifications. What they are is not known. On the result of this conference depends the status of the strike. It is now said that if President Wilbur will agree to his ultimatum of a week ago, pledging himself to deal with his old employes as individuals, the strike will be declared off.

DEATH IN A MINE.

Tuesday morning about 2 o'clock an accident occurred at the coal mine of the East End Supply company, operated by Mitchell & Lloyd, at Bennington, which resulted in the instant death of a Hungarian named Andrew Stavansky, 33 years of age, married and leaving a wife and three children.

The mine is being worked night and day and Stavansky was on the night turn, working in one of the chambers with a brother. Without warning a rock weighing about 400 pounds fell from the roof and catching the unfortunate man across the body, he was literally and instantly crushed to death and one of his legs was also broken.

Coroner Poet was notified of the accident and went up to Bennington in the afternoon, when he empannelled a jury and held an inquest. The evidence showed that the accident was unavoidable and a verdict was rendered to that effect, the mine boss being also relieved from all blame.

Of the dead man's children one is 6, one 3 years and the other is 7 months of age. The family is very poor and live in the most abject squallor. The man was a member of the Catholic church and the funeral will take place to-day at Gallitzin.

THE TROUBLE WITH SILVER DOLLARS.

The report of the treasurer of the United States alludes in a general way to the large number of counterfeit silver dollars in circulation. How much of this bogus money is in circulation it is impossible to say. Guesses might go very wide of the mark. The counterfeiting of the dollar nowadays is not what it was when the coinmaker had to use lead or other base metal to make any profit out of his business. Silver is so cheap that he can make as good a dollar as the mints can, and put in as much silver of as fine a quality, and just "coin money" in the way of profits, both literally and figuratively.

The remedy for this state of affairs does not lie in the arrest of the private minters, but in the making of that business unprofitable. When a dollar's worth of silver is put into a silver dollar, the manufacture of silver dollars by unauthorized parties will cease. The dollar will have to be bigger than it is, but that cannot be helped.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

ONE MAN LEAVES TWO WIDOWS.

LANCASTER, Pa., December 5.—A. M. Grieves, of this city, died some time ago leaving an estate worth a few thousand dollars. In due time his widow filed her selection of property under the law allowing widows $300 exemption. Soon after another woman put in an appearance and claimed the estate as the descendant's widow and she, too, filed a widow's claim. She said she lived in Canada and had been lawfully wedded to Grieves, who deserted her. The clerk of the orphans' court did not know what to do, so the matter was reported to court. A rule has been granted to show who is entitled to the widow's share. Wife No. 1 claims that her husband never secured a divorce from her and that No. 2 married him under the supposition that he was a single man.

A PATHETIC SCENE.

HARRISBURG, December 5.—Benjamin Tennis, who will be hanged here on Thursday, for the murder of 9-year-old Agnes Cooper Wright, took a final farewell of his three oldest children this morning. The scene was very pathetic, as the condemned parent offered up prayers for the children whom he had disgraced by his diabolical crime, and affected those who witnessed it.

Tennis will see his younger children tomorrow for the last time. Everything is in readiness for the execution, which will take place in the jail yard. About 400 tickets of admission have been issued.

THE TIME WITHOUT A WATCH.

Actual and repeated experiments have shown that the nearest hour of the day or night may be ascertained in the following curious way:

Make a small running loop in a piece of sewing thread about a foot in length, place a shilling in this loop, see that the coin is accurately bisected by the thread, and then draw the loop tight up so that the shilling is firmly slung at one end of the thread. Put on a solid table a glass tumbler with a fairly wide mouth. Rest your right elbow on the table in a firm and easy position so as to avoid any shakiness in your hand, hold the other end of the thread between your first finger and the "ball" of the thumb (i. e., the fleshy top joint of the thumb), so that the thumb nail is undermost and a few inches above the middle of the mouth of the glass.

Now, if you keep your hand quite steady, the movement of the coin (which is hanging inside the tumbler) will become less and less until the shilling is motionless. Then, in half a minute or so, a very slight and regular vibration will commence, the coin vibrating from side to side like a pendulum, and gradually increasing the length of movement until it generally strikes the side of the glass. This strike goes on in the most automatic way, first on one side of the glass and then on the other, say, eight strokes have been struck; the vibrations of the coin then diminish in length, until the suspended shilling again becomes motionless and hangs in the middle of the tumbler. You look at your watch and find that 8 o'clock is the nearest hour.

I have tried this over and over again, deliberately setting about the experiment without bias or any intention of influencing the swing of the coin, and also being ignorant of the time, and when my hand has been steady the right time has invariably been struck.

There is something very curious about this phenomenon. Whether the thread is influenced by the pulse in the "ball" of the thumb or whether there is some unconscious transference of "intention" from the brain to the thread, I do not know; but in any case the matter is sufficiently interesting to be worthy of a critical test by persons who will carefully and without bias carry out this singular experiment of telling the time.—Tid-Bits.

DIED FROM A CURIOUS MALADY.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 5.—Ossification of the body superinduced by a curious complication of disease caused the death here yesterday of Captain Alexander Hunter at the age of 68 years. The case is one of the most curious in medical records. Captain Hunter was a widely known mariner and while running a transport steamer from Andersonville prison during the late rebellion contracted the spotted and typhus fevers that resulted in his death. For the past fourteen years he has been almost helpless, and yesterday the last drop of blood left his body. He commanded the vessel that carried the first American flag up the Baltimore during the riot and also pulled the receiving ship out of that port while the Confederate guns were trained upon his vessel. Captain Hunter was decorated with a medal of honor by President Lincoln for meritorious conduct and bravery.

A MYSTERIOUS STATEMENT.

CHICAGO, December 7.—The police are using their best efforts to find the author of a mysterious circular which has been distributed about the city. The circular is a formidable document in its tone and calls for 10,000 men to meet on the lake front at daybreak, December 12, fully armed.

The circular purports to have been sent out by a farmer near Wheaton, Ill., and its object is a mystery. An officer has been dispatched to Wheaton to discover, if possible, the author of the document. The chief-of-police, while believing the document to be the work of a crank, will have a number of officers ready at daybreak December 12 to see what is going on.

A SHOVEL FACTORY STARTS UP.

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., December 6.—The H. M. Myers shovel factory has started up after a long shut down. The old employes were paid off in full last week and notified that new contracts for work would be made when the factory resumed work. They expected a considerable reduction, but were dumfounded by the conditions placed before them Monday. They found wages reduced from 36 to 50 per cent. and hours of work greatly increased. Most of the men accepted the conditions under protest.

WANT DAMAGES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—The World's Columbian Exposition Company has been sued for $25,000 damages by the Morgan Engineering Company, who entered into a contract with the Fair to construct three electric cranes, which were among the sights in Machinery hall. The plaintiffs say the Fair failed to furnish sufficient power for one of the cranes, and that the electrical machinery was damaged by rain and snow which came through the roof.

George Croushore, a well-to-do farmer, who lives near Jeannette, was arrested Friday with his three sons on charges of distilling and selling liquor without having paid a government tax.

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A BOLD ROBBERY.

The Leading Bank in South Bend, Ind., Relieved of $15,500.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., December 7.—The boldest robbery in the annals of crime in Indiana was committed to-day about noon, the victim being the South Bend National bank, one of the leading banking concerns in the state. The amount taken was $15,500. No clue to the identity of the robbers has yet come to light and they seem to have made good their escape.

Shortly after noon to-day while Cashier Campbell was absent at dinner, Assistant Cashier Kelley, who resides in the rear of the building, was called to the front door by a man who said he wanted to see him on some business. Just about this time a man approached the bank building on the north and effected an entrance to the directors' room, prying open the window sash with a steel chisel. He then forced a heavy oak door and was immediately in front of the vault. The outer vault door was open but a two-inch middle door had been closed by Cashier Campbell. This yielded readily, the combination having for some reason failed to work and before the robber stood the counter tray containing between $3,000 and $10,000. In the safe a pile of $14,000 in gold and many thousands in greenbacks was arrayed on shelves. The prime idea seemed to be to take as much as possible of the money in sight without arousing any suspicion before the robbers had had plenty of time to make good their escape. For this reason the counter tray with its loose thousands was undisturbed, the robber confining his theft to the safe, from which he took $4,000 in yellow coin, about all he could carry, and $11,900 in bills. No silver coin was touched. The money was not missed until some time after, when Cashier Campbell returned from dinner, and then information of the theft was suppressed for some time in the hope that some clue to the robbery might be discovered.

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ENCOUNTER BETWEEN LAWYERS.

Lawyer James W. Shull Shoots District Attorney Luke Baker on the Street in New Bloomfield.

NEW BLOOMFIELD, Dec. 10.—An alleged intimacy with the wife of Lawyer James Shull on the part of District Attorney Luke Baker led to an encounter between these two leading members of the Perry county bar when they met on the main street, near the court house, yesterday morning, which resulted in a serious shooting affray and the arrest of Shull, who was loaded for the occasion and did the shooting. There were six shots fired by Shull, two only taking effect, when friends interfered and ended the matter.

The excitement that followed brought out hundreds of persons intimately acquainted with both, and whose story of the cause soon became county as well as town talk.

Baker was struck in the arm and also in the hip. An examination showed that neither of the wounds are serious. His great regret was, as they carried him into a near by house, that he had failed to hit Shull, who was taken in charge by Town Constable Shaler, and late Saturday afternoon released under $2,000 bail to answer the charge of manslaughter and carrying concealed deadly weapons.

JACKSON VS. THE N. V. R. R. CO.

The trial of the case of George W. Jackson against the Nittany Valley railroad company ended to-day in the jury returning a verdict for the defendants. A few years ago George W. Jackson leased some ore lands down the Nittany valley. When the Nittany valley railroad was built it run right through the one corner of the land leased by Mr. Jackson. The latter claimed damages and, failing to reach an amicable settlement with the company the court appointed veiwers to appraise the property and assess the damages. The viewers awarded Mr. Jackson the sum of $4,000. The latter thought he ought to have five or six thousand and so appealed from the viewers' award. The case was on trial all of Monday and Tuesday. The jury went out this morning and, after a brief deliberation, returned a verdict as above. Mr. Jackson will now likely carry the case to the Supreme Court.

REBUKES A JURY.

SCRANTON, Dec. 10.—President Judge Archibald created a sensation to-day by rebuking in the most stinging manner possible a jury that after being out since Saturday afternoon came in this afternoon with a verdict of not guilty in the case of Absalom Arnold, charged with adultery. The evidence was so strong that no defense was offered. The court told the jurors that their verdict was a blot upon the court record and they ought to be ashamed of themselves. He has not seen anything like it during the nine years he was upon the bench.

GOING TO EUROPE TOGETHER.

Dwight L. Moody and Ira D. Sankey, the celebrated evangelists, have joined forces again after a separation of nine years. During this time they have been conducting independent revival meetings. The evangelists expect to sail for England soon, where they have made arrangements for a series of meetings which will extend through the year 1894.

GONE OUT OF BUSINESS.

We notice that the Sterling Coal Company, of which General D. H. Hastings, is president, and Gen. Beaver, General Hastings and Col. J. L. Spangler large stockholders, has gone out of the business of mining and shipping coal. In the future they will simply lease their large possessions, which are principally in Cambria county, to other operators to work.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

TOO ILL TO BE ARRESTED.

NEW BLOOMFIELD, Dec. 10.—James W. Shull, the lawyer who shot District Attorney-Elect Luke Baker in the street yesterday is very ill to-day and the warrant for his arrest was not served on him. Mr. Shull is a sufferer from heart disease and the excitement of yesterday's affray prostrated him. Baker's wounds are slight and unless blood poisoning should set in, he will soon be well. Much sympathy is expressed for Shull and sensational disclosures are expected when the case comes to trial.

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"No," said Bertha sadly, "'pain' doesn't express what I suffer at these times—It is simply '*anguish*!' I know I ought to, consult a physician, but I dread it so! I can't bring myself to do it. Then, too, 'female disease' always seemed so indelicate to me, I can't bear to have any one know or speak of mine."

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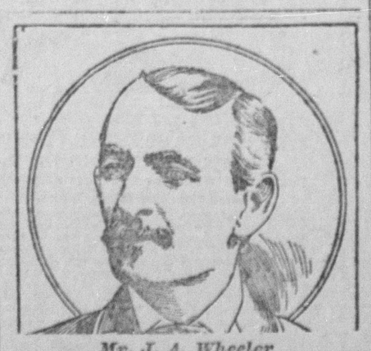
EASTON, Dec. 10.—The chief concern of the Lehigh Valley Company just now is the getting of enough engines to move its freight and coal business. Twenty-five engines at least are in the shops awaiting repairs, the shop hands being compelled to work overtime. The company has thoroughly re-organized matters and began to-day to run with old time regularity. Thus far twenty-three old engineers and firemen have been ordered back on their engines. Several engineers have been sent out with new firemen. The engineers did not like this, but had to go or lose their opportunity.

GOLDEN HILL.

The Society of the Sons of the Revolution have placed on the building owned and occupied by the Humphrey's Homeopathic Medicine Company, Corner William & John Sts., New York City, a bronze tablet to commemorate the Battle of "Golden Hill," where the first blood was shed in the War of the Revolution.



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HIS CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

R K Munkittrick, in Harper's Young People.

RUTHVES, *loq.*:

I've got a lovely baseball and a bat
To make my spirits flow with feeling glad—
Alas! ah, little me! in spite of that,
At heart I'm very sad.

My mother, though she's always more than kind,
Should more consistent and more thoughtful be.
I know her tender love for me is blind,
Or she would surely see.

That it is never, never right at all,
Upon this bright and glorious Christmas day,
To give a lovely shining bat and ball
To gild my hours of play.

She won't let me play ball in-doors—oh dear,
The vases all as precious are as gold!
She won't let me play ball out-doors, for fear
I'll take my death of cold.

HOLIDAY CHEER.

The holiday season is close upon us, and every household in the land is prearing for the plum pudding, and the general and feasting and rejoicing. A little good brandy for the mince pie, rum for the pudding, for a little stimulant to keep the spirits up and the cold out, is absolutely necessary for an old time Christmas cheer. One of the most prominent liquor dealers in the country, Mr. Max Klein of Allegheny, Pa., whom we can cheerfully recommend, and who has the reputation for handling only absolutely pure liquors, will sell you the following brands of six years old pure Penn'a Ryes, at $1.00 per full quart or six for $5.00: Bear Creek, Gibson, Guckenheimer, Finch, and Overholt. The famous Silver Age, the finest whiskey in the country at $1.50 and Duquesne, a whiskey distilled from Rye and Malt, at $1.25 per quart, Guckenheimer 4 years old, at 75c per quart, and the Anchor Rye at 50c. You can have your choice of all kinds of California Wines, Gins, Rum and Brandy, all pure, and old, at from 50 cents per quart up.

All goods bottled and bearing the signature of Max Klein for sale by S Shloss Agt Williamsport.

A TIMELY BIT OF ADVICE.

In these times of grip and pneumonia it is of great importance that we should know where to look for a safe and sure remedy. A slight cold may become a serious one, the scarcely noticeable pain in the chest is too often the forerunner of pneumonia. The first cough may lead to consumption (a cough is *always* dangerous). Never neglect a cold or cough for even one day, but get at once, as a safe and sure remedy, Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure, which is recommended on all sides. It should be kept in the house regularly to avoid delay when needed. It is sold at all the drug stores.

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EDITORS TABLE.

The Christmas number of THE COTTAGE HEARTH presents an unusual variety of excellent stories to its readers. The opening story, *Kane of the Southern Star*, by *Flora Haines Longhead*, pictures with vividness the uncertainties as well as the pathos of life in our Western mining camps, and is followed by a poem appropriate to the season from the pen of *Sarah King Wiley*. *Lieut. H. P Whitmarsh* describes a visit to *Vesuvius and Kilauea*, in a very pleasing manner. The article is made still more interesting by several illustrations. *The Vicarious Popularity of Prof. Max Stevens* is an amusing account of mistaken identity. *The Money Club's Christmas-Tide* gives an insight into the lives of the other half, about whose lives we know so little. *Meg*, a charming story by *Minnie Quinn*; a poem *I Love You*; *Marjorie's Scheme*, by *Kate D. Sweetser*; an article on the *Dead Letter Office Museum*, and the last part of *Trouble in Dark Hollow*, by *Will Allen Dromgoole*, complete this excellent number. The regular departments will as usual be of interest to all housewives. Many practical hints may be found on the pages devoted to *Odds and Ends from Everywhere*. ($1.50 a year, 15 cts. a copy. W. A. Wilde & Co., Boston.)

THE story called "Anthony Kent," by Charles Stokes Wayne, and contained in the December number of "Tales Town Topics," is particularly bright, lively and dramatic, with a variety of character and incident that holds the reader's attention from start to finish. Its opening chapter introduces to us the hero of the tale, a happy go lucky man of the world who, while strolling through a street in Venice, is attracted by a pair of skirts, and by means of a startling piece of effrontery forms the acquaintance of a very beautiful and mysterious woman. As it turns out, this incident is the turning point in the young man's career. The woman that *Anthony Kent* meets in Venice plays a very important part in his life. She is an adventuress who has known innocent days and has a past. She loves *Kent*, and devotes her life to him. He is happy with her until, in America, he meets a young girl whose innocence appeals to his somewhat sinhardened nature, and to this one his heart goes out. And when he has learned to love her he finds that she is the daughter of his mistress, the deserted child of whom he had often heard. Naturally enough this complicated and romantic condition of affairs, and the author has treated his subject with great lucidity and directness, the novel is one of decided force. The descriptive scenes in Venice and Monte Carlo are particularly vivid, and altogether Mr. Wayne can be credited with the production of a strong piece of narrative work. Town Topics Publishing Co., 21 West 23d street, New York City. 50 cents.

THE Christmas number of *The Century* will be one of the most beautiful issues of that magazine ever made, containing twenty-nine full page illustrations, the first of Mr. Timothy Cole's engravings of the Dutch masters, the beginning of Mark Twain's serial story "Pudd'n head Wilson" and contributions from Lowell, Aldrich, Stoddard, Hopkinson Smith, Cable, Phillips Brooks (a christmas sermon) Joel Chandler Harris, Howard Pyle, Kate Douglas Wiggin, and many other well known writers.

PUSHING THINGS.

This is the title of a bright little book on advertising, advertisement writing, the art of selling things, window displays, and kindred subjects just issued by Will S. Power, the well known advertising expert of Pittsburg, Pa. It is full of valuable hints for busy men contains among other things a number of very attractive sample advertisements. The object of the little book is to help business men in solving the problem. How to make advertising pay better than it does now. Ten cents enclosed in an envelope to Will S. Power, 704 Wood st., Pittsburg, Pa., will bring the book by return mail.

THE SOCIAL ECONOMIST for December is in full sympathy with the coal miners' strike in England, and rejoices that they won their fight. It holds that the coal barons undertook to mantain profits by reducing wages, and that the fundamental laws of economics forbid that profits and wages should undergo any such divorce. It does not believe in the justice of labor's sharing in the losses of capital, because it holds that labor, paid wholly by wages, never really shares any of the profits of capital. All it gets is the competitive price which capital can refuse to pay only at the risk of great loss to itself.

Volume 1. of the two-volume edition of the Faunk & Wagnalls Standard Dictionary of the English language will be issued on December 16th. This volume has been four years in making; two hundred and thirty-eight editors and specialists have employed upon it; and the cash outlay has been about a half million dollars. The advance orders for the work mount up into the tens of thousands.

The following letter was received by the publishers from a well-known gentleman, prominently identified with the late World's Fair at Chicago:

Mines and Mining Building, Jackson Park, Ill. MESSRS. FUNK & WAGNALLS,

GENTLEMEN: "I am pleased to inform you that the Standard Dictionary has been granted an award (diploma and Medal) in group No. 150. The exact wording of all the awards will not be announced for probably three or four weeks."

The Dictionary exhibit considered of a number of proof sheets, as the work was only part in type—this fact makes the award more significant. The award of diploma and medal is the only class of awards granted. A gentleman who was present during the examination informs the publishers that the judges devoted nearly three hours to a critical inspection of the sheets (it was a very unusual thing to devote so much time to the examination of any exhibit), comparing the definitions with those of other dictionary, and that they frequently expressed themselves as highly pleased and in favor of the features of the STANDARD. At the close of the examination, one of the judges remarked: "I have the best of other dictionaries, but this work has desirable features that others have not. I must possess a copy when it is published.

The vocabulary of the STANDARD is extraordinarily rich and full, that of no other Dictionary nearly equalling it, although great care was taken to throw out all useless words.

The following is an actual count of words and phrases recorded under the letter A:

STORMONTH Dictionary, total terms in A	4 692
WORCESTER Dictionary, total terms in A	6,983
WEBSTER (International) Dictionary, total terms in A	8,358
CENTURY Dictionary, total terms in A	15.521
THE STANDARD DICTIONARY, TOTAL TERMS IN A	19,736

The full number of words and terms in these dictionaries for the entire alphabet is as follows: *Stormonth*, 50,000; *Worchester*, 105,000; *Webster*, (International), 125,000; *Century* (six volumes, complete), 225,600; STANDARD, 300,000.

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One night, the first of January, when I had an extremely hard spell of vomiting having **VOMITED from 7:30 to 9:30** without ceasing, and my friends expecting it was **my last night on earth**—my husband seeing one of your strong testimonials in the *Salem News*, sent a man to the Druggists for a bottle of DANA'S SARSAPARILLA. I took a dose; in a few minutes, threw it up; waited a little and took another; **did not vomit again for four days**—then **stopped entirely.** Kept right on taking it according to directions, well diluted with water. My **appetite increased—Constipation ceased.** I gained rapidly. I can now eat anything I wish,

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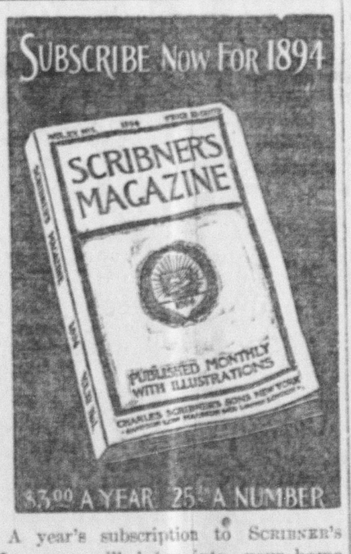

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SHORT STORIES will be abundant.

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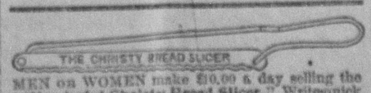

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APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, the 26th day of December 1893, by James A. Beaver, John W. Stuart, William Frear, James H. Potter, S. M. Buck, George L. Potter, and others, under the Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to Provide for the Incorporation and regulation of Certain Corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the Charter of an intended Corporation to be called "The University Hotel Company," the character and object of which is the establishment and maintenance of an hotel in the town of State College, Centre County Pennsylvania, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto

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23 48 tf WILLIAM MCCLELLAN.

—"The Burglar," a first class drama, will be the attraction in Garman's opera house Saturday evening, December 16th.

—If Rev. Wheeler would open up a cigar store on "our" Sunday he might do a profitable business, so long as the authorities left him alone.

—That disagreeable, offensive malady, the grip, is getting a hold in Bellefonte. Numerous cases are reported to-day, although none are very serious.

—It is rumored that a railroad is to be built from Howard to Hublersburg, Centre county, where it will connect with the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania. The distance between the two points is about five miles.

—On Sunday evening a rumor was circulated around Bellefonte that a murder had been committed at Lemont. Inquiry by telephone elicited the fact that there was no truth whatever in the rumor; at least, nobody at Lemont knew anything about it.

—While butchering one day last week Mr. Samuel H. Orris, of Central City, had two of his fingers taken off in the saugage grinder he was feeding. Dr. Hayes, of this place, rendered the necessary surgical attendance. Mr. Orris is fortunate in having an accident policy.

—All day Sunday the engine on the C. R. R. was allowed to stand right at the crossing on the pike near the red school house. This was a piece of thoughtlessness on the part of the engineer, as most every horse that was driven past frieghtened, and there came very near being a number of run offs.

—On Saturday evening the freight over the C. R. R. brought in the new turntable for this place, also the new wagon for the American Express Company. Both tracks of the railroad are now laid past the depot and a couple days more work in underpinning and ballasting and the line will be ready for constant use.

—Miss Susan Kochler died at her home in Romola on Monday of last week, at the age of 41 years, of consumption. The funeral occurred on Wednesday at Romola, Rev. Brown, of Jacksonville, officiating. Miss Kochler leaves one sister and six brothers to nourn her death. She was a sister of Dr. Kochler, of this place.

—On Sunday Mr. Hamilton, on Water street, was unfortunate enough to lose ten dollars. The loss was not discovered until in the afternoon on Mr. Hamilton's return home from the Evangelical church, where he had been in attendance at Sunday school. Search was at once instituted but the missing money could not be found.

—Saturday night there was quite a racket on Allegheny street in front of the Brockerhoff house between an old man by the name of Jackson, his son, mule and cart, and a number of the young "bloods" of this place. It all resulted in Jackson and his son being arrested and locked up and the others allowed to go free.

—Negotiations are now pending for the leasing of the Bellefonte car works by a responsible firm of street car manufacturers. As the movement is yet in its incipiency it is premature to make any further announcement, only that the owners of the plant will offer the best of inducements to the firm to locate their works here.

—Friday evening Mr. Thomas Shoemaker drove down town and, hitching his horse, went up to his office. Shortly after his horse in some way managed to slip the bridle and away she started up town at a 2.40 gait. But there are too many good horsemen in Bellefonte to allow such proceedings, and the animal was caught in front of Harris' hardware store, led back and securely tied. No damage was done to anything.

IT'S ASTONISHING how Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription acts upon nervous women. It's a marvelous remedy for nervous and general debility, Chorea or St. Vitus's Dance, Insomnia or Inability to sleep, spasms, convulsions or "fits," and every like disorder.

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What more can anyone ask?

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A BAKER HELD UP.

A special to the Johnstown Tribune from Ninevah, under date of December 8, says:

Collin Lovely, of Latrobe, Pa., was held up and robbed of $360 in money and a gold watch near this place yesterday afternoon. Mr. Lovely was very much excited on arriving at Ninevah, and was unable to tell which way the highwaymen fled after their bold work. He gives the following description of the men: One small man, smooth-faced, wearing a cap. The other two were tall men, the one wearing a stiff hat and the other a slouch hat. The Johnstown police have been requested to watch for the robbers.

He had been out in the country several miles from this place, and, while driving back, he noticed the three men some distance ahead of him. When he drove up to them one of the three asked him the time of day, and Lovely stopped and pulled his watch out of his vest pocket. He didn't have time to tell them the hour before two of the party pointed revolvers at his head. The watch was taken by the third party, when they then asked him if he had any money. Lovely said he didn't, but the party said: "We'll see," and began to search him. After the lucre had been procured Lovely was told to drive off on a two-forty trot and not to look back, or they would fill him with lead.

Lovely is a baker at Latrobe, and he was on business at the home of Henry Snyder, near this place. He was on his way here to board way passenger, when the parties confronted him. The watch was given to him some time ago by a secret society.

NEXT to the wonder of this age in electricity, the marvelous advance in the art of picture production must take its place. The extent to which this has been carried is a source of constant surprise as well as of admiration. It is all the time advancing in the finish and beauty of its printed work. The counter of our stores at which periodicals are sold is really a curiosity and one well worth studying. There appears to be nothing on the earth, in the heavens or under the earth which is not reproduced in some form or other of publication, and the number of the representations, which are of remarkable excellence in their fidelity to nature as well as their sofiness of tone, is a neverending marvel. During these Christmas times there is no more interesting place to visit than the book store—simply to see the marvelous advance in popularizing the true and beautiful. Wonderful as has been progress in mere material things, equally great and more important is the evolution of the æsthetic which has brought what is tasteful within the reach of all, and the pure and noble in thought in touch with the slimmest pocket book.

THE term "boodler" has received a judicial definition in Montreal, where, in confirming the judgment of a lower court that awarded $500 damages to a plaintiff who had been called a "boodler" by the defendant, the Court of Review says "Boodlers mean the very meanest class of thieves." Coming from Montreal, this may be regarded as authoritative. The definition might be improved by adding to the adjective "meanest" that of "most dangerous." The "boodler" is one who either buys himself into office, sells out the public when in place for a certain sum or robs the people by taking more compensation than the laws allow. The "boodler" is a thief truly, as he steals both the virtue of the voter and the honor of the office he gains by unholy purchase. As one can hold no viler place than that of a "boodler," to be falsely accused should entitle one to more than $500 damages in any slander suit.

A RECORD BREAKER.

S. C. Keissinger died recently in Toby township, Clarion county, aged 93 years. He was married at the age of 19. When he was 30 he was the father of eleven children. When the eleventh child was a few weeks old he and his wife went on a visit, leaving the next younger with Mrs. Keissinger's sister and the nine others at home. In their absence the house took fire and the nine children were burned to death. During the next ten years eight more children were born to them, when his wife died at the age of 35 years, the mother of nineteen children. Soon after he married again and his second wife bore him fifteen children, making him father of thirty-four children at the age of 61 years.

COUNTY NEWSPAPERS.

The last legislature decided that county newspapers have become valuable as mediums of information, social, legal, political, and has enacted a law directing county commissioners to subscribe for three weekly papers, have them bound in separate volumes and keep them in their offices as books of reference for the use of the public. Each commissioner is to select one of the three weeklies.

—On Saturday evening about fifty of the young bloods of Howard and Jacksonville, after getting pretty well filled up with cider, engaged in a free-for-all fight, until stopped by the citizens. The result was numerous black eyes and bloody noses. As a consequence, the borough authorities have now appointed Mr. Ambrose Holter, chief of police with authority to stop all such nonsense.

LARGE SHIPMENTS OF COAL.

Reports from the coal regions penetrated by the Beech Creek railroad system are very encouraging regarding the shipments of the "dusky diamonds" to the sea board by the Reading route. Immense quantities are being sent from all points along the various branches, particularly from Loch Lomond, Philipsburg, Morrisdale Mines, Glen Richy and Gazzam. The Clearfield and Mahoning branch is also kept busy, an average of over two hundred cars of coal per day being shipped to the distributing station at Clearfield.

IN OTHER COUNTIES.

Saturday last Andrew G. Neff died at his home in Potter township, Huntingdon county, aged 76 years.

St. Joseph's Catholic church at Derry was dedicated Sunday morning. Bishop Phelan was present and took part in the ceremonies.

Burglars entered the grocery store of William Hess, Philipsburg, Sunday night and took $15 in cash, the contents of the money drawer.

Captain Donaldson, of the Salvation Army, Johnstown, was arrested Sunday night for disorderly conduct. He was fined $13 and not having the money he is still in durance.

Watt Bowen, a glass worker of North Bellevernon, Westmoreland county, was found dead Sunday, having died suddenly of heart disease. Deceased was aged about 50 years and leaves a wife and one child to mourn his sudden death.

Miss Jennie Smith, residing near Hecla No. 1, Westmoreland county, attempted to alight from the Sewickley branch train at Brinker's run, Monday morning. The train hadn't stopped and she was thrown a distance of forty feet, fortunately escaping without serious injury.

Thursday morning the West school house in Henderson township, Huntingdon county, caught fire from the stovepipe and burned a large hole in the roof. The ceiling being very insecure gave way under the teacher as he was fighting the flames, almost precipitating him on the hot stove below. He wasn't injured.

Work commenced yesterday on the Blacklick extension and will be kept up until the road is completed. Work will be furnished for 300 men. A large building is being erected by the company at a place called the Twin Rocks, near Barker City. Here the men who are doing the work on the new road will be lodged and fed.

FRIDAY IN COURT.

The biggest part of Friday's session of court was taken up with the trial of the case of John C. Motz, against Harvey Bishop. This was an action to recover damages for the burning of Motz's lumber yard and saw mill, a direct loss to him of about five thousand dollars. The facts as brought out in the trial were about as follows:

John C. Motz was the owner of a saw mill and lumber yard in the vicinity of Woodward. Harvey Bishop had a lumber job somewhere in the adjacent mountains and to get out his lumber a tramroad had been built and the logs hauled out by a dinkey engine. One very windy day the crew in charge of the dinkey and log train stopped near an old stable to take water and eat their dinner. While there a spark from the dinkey set fire to the old stable which was burned to the ground. Unfortunately, at that time there was a very high wind and a burning brand from the stable was blown into Motz's lumber yard, setting fire to it with the result that the lumber yard and saw mill were entirely destroyed. Although the dinkey was the indirect cause of the fire yet, in law, it could only be designated as the remote cause, for, had there not been a high wind at the time the lumber yard and saw mill would not have been burned, as the old stable was too far away to, under any other circumstances, set fire to the same. After a very brief deliberation the jury on the case found a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $100 damages, a verdict generally conceeded to be entirely too small.

The next case taken up was that of Foster Fannon vs. D. R. Thomas, an action to recover damages on a horse trade. Some of the evidence in this case was real amusing as well as somewhat conflicting.

MINCE MEAT.

Is now in season—So are holiday advertisements—December is a great month for courting in Bellefonte, three solid weeks in succession—Prof. Kane is a master hand on Cantatas—Two more weddings, it is said, will occur soon—What petty cases are carried into the County Courts; but they generally result in some good by feeing the lawyers and learning the litigants more common sense—The *Gazette* scribe thinks the Cantata great, but he seemed to enjoy the "between scenes" more than any other Friday night—What fools we mortals be, and especially is this illustrated when two old fools monopolize the attention of a large crowd in an argument on a question they know nothing about—Good ironers can get steady work at the Bellefonte Steam Laundry—The board of trade banquet promises to be a great meeting of great men—John Anderson, the famous restauranteur, always takes a walk for a breakfast appetizer—A large number of men in Bellefonte take a breakfast appetizer, but not in the shape of a walk—The DAILY NEWS is adding new subscribers to its list every day—Have you seen the handsomely decorated store windows on Allegheny street? Some of them are fine—The ladies of Bellefonte are becoming interested in the Logan's prospective fair—Hog killing time is about over and our "mince meat" is ended.

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A SERIOUS RIOT IN ROME.

A Peasant Killed and a Constable Fatally Injured.

ROME, December 11.—A serious riot resulting in the death of a peasant and the serious if not fatal burning of a constable, occurred yesterday at the town of Hitonto The people were celebrating a religious festival, and at night had a large quantity of fireworks that they intended to set off. The gendarmes and customs officers interfered to prevent the fireworks display on the ground that it was dangerous. The people resented this action, and when the officials persisted in their determinations to prevent the display the riot ensued. The gendarmes were getting the worst of the encounter when they were ordered to fire upon the mob. The order was obeyed, and a peasant was killed. This added to the fury of the mob and the fighting was renewed. The gendarmes, apparently not wishing to fire into the crowd again, slowly retreated to the police station. The place was stormed and captured. In the meantime a constable named Corci fell into the hands of the mob and somebody suggested that he be made a torch of. The suggestion was hailed with yells and cheers of delight. A quantity of petroleum was procured and poured over the unfortunate constable. A match was then applied to his clothing, and in an instant he was enveloped in a mass of flames Just at this moment a body of gendarmes, who had come from another quarter of the town, made a rush with drawn swords upon the mob scattered them right and left with blows from the knee edged blades.

Coats were torn off and wrapped about Corci, who by this time was unconscious, and the fire extinguished. He was horrible burned, his face being almost unrecognizable. He was attended by physicians, who upon examination gave it as their opinion that he had inhaled fire and would in all liklihood die.

The gendarms then turned their attention to the rioters in the station house and soon put them to flight. Many of the mob were wounded. Several of the rioters were captured and locked up.

MASKED BURGLARS IN A HOTEL.

LONG ISLAND CITY, L. I., December 11.—Three masked burglars entered the hotel of Edward Blanch about 3 o'clock this morning and, holding the family up with revolvers, got away with about $1,000 worth of booty.

They got into the house through a side window and surprized Mr. Blanch and his wife, who slept with pistols under their pillows. Before they had time to use them, however, they were covered by the weapons of the intruders. They were forced to hold up their hands while the burglars felt under their pillows and got possession of the two revolvers and $475 in cash that Mr. Blanch had placed there for safe keeping. They also got away with two gold watches, a number of articles of jewelry, and carried off the cash register from the bar. Before leaving they collected all the rifles and shot guns, of which there were quite a number in the house, and made off with them also. From the bar they took a case of whisky and several hundred cigars. No clue to the thieves has been obtained.

THE QUEEN PAWNED HER JEWELS.

Queen Isabella of Spain, pawned her jewels to raise money to fit out the expedition that discovered the new world. Her sacrifice was not greater than is made by many women of America, who deny themselves many things in order to have money to buy Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for their sick husbands or children. This "Discovery" is more important to them, than the one made in 1492. For all diseases of the Lungs, Liver, Throat, or Stomach, the "Discovery" is a sovereign remedy. A trial convinces, its continued use cures, It purifies the blood, invigorates the liver and strengthens and builds up the whole system. *Guaranteed* to benefit or cure in every case, or money paid for it returned.

MEETING OF THE STATE GRANGE.

Harrisburg Pa., December 11.—Worthy Master Rhone and Secretary Thomas, of the State Grange, arrived in Harrisburg this morning to attend the annual session of the State Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, which will convene here to-morrow. Mr. Rhone says there will be 400 lodges represented by 600 delegates and that the session will last until Friday or Saturday.

SENT TO THE PENITENTIARY.

PHILADELPHIA, December 11.—Henry S. Cochran, the ex-chief weigher of the Philadelphia mint, who was recently convicted of stealing $135,000 worth of gold bullion from the institution, was this morning sentenced to seven years and six months imprisonment in the eastern penitentiary and a fine of $1,000.

A HERALD OF THE INFANT YEAR.

Clip the last thirty years or more from the century, and the segment will represent the term of the unbounded popularity of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The opening of the year 1894 will be signalized by the appearance of a fresh Almanac of the Bitters, in which the uses, derivation and action of this world famous medicine will be lucidly set forth. Everybody should read it. The calendar and astronomical calculations to be found in this brochure are always astonishingly accurate, and the statistics, illustrations, humor and other reading matter rich in interest and full of profit. The Hostetter Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., publish it themselves. They employ more than sixty hands in the mechanical work, and more than eleven months in the year are consumed in its preparation. It can be obtained without cost of all druggists and country dealers, and is printed in English; German, French Welsh, Nerwegian, Swedish; Holland, Bohemian and Spanish.

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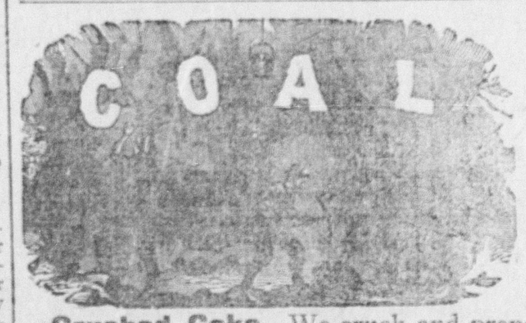

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NEXT TO POSTOFFICE,
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THE STRIKE DECLARED OFF.

But at the Same Time Many Employes Are Nonplussed.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., December 6.—The great strike on the Lehigh Valley road was declared off at 3 o'clock this morning, both sides making concessions. This action was the result of a conference between a joint committee, composed of members of the board of arbitration of New York and New Jersey, on the one side, and President Wilbur, of the Lehigh Valley road, on the other. The conference lasted three days, which was participated in by the chiefs of the local and national labor organizations who took part in the strike.

The terms of agreement are embodied in the following correspondence, which was made public after the announcement that the strike had been declared off.

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa.

E. B. Wilbur, President Lehigh Valley Railroad—Dear Sir: The state boards of arbitration of New York and New Jersey desire to know whether the existing strike is declared off. If the Lehigh Valley railroad will agree to take back as many of their old employes as they can find places for without prejudice, on account of the fact that they struck or that they are members of any labor organization; that in re-employing the men formerly in its service the available time shall be divided among the men so employed by the company so as to make them self-supporting; that in making promotions hereafter the company will make no distinction as between new men in the employ and those re-employed on account of seniority in service or otherwise; that when in the employ of the road committees from the various classes of employes from the branches of the service in which the aggrieved party is employed, will be considered and justly treated, and that in employing men in the future, the company will give preference to former employes then the strike is declared off.

We think that to prevent misapprehension the Lehigh Valley Railroad company should confirm the rules posted by Mr. Voorhees August 7, last, as first vice president of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad company. We believe that these suggestions are reasonable and that if they are accepted by your company the present strike will be at once terminated. Respectfully yours, GEORGE ROBERTSON,
Of the New York State Board of Arbitration and Mediation.

J. P. MCDONALD,
Of the State Board of Arbitration and Mediation of the state of New Jersey.

This communication President Wilbur replied to as follows:

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., December 6, 1893.—Gentlemen: I beg to acknowledge your communication of this date. The Lehigh Valley Railroad company agrees to the suggestion contained therein, and, in the event of the strike being declared off, will abide by them. We recognize and willingly respond to your suggestion of our former understanding, that available time may be divided so that men re-employed may have some certain source of support; we further, of course, confirm the rules posted by Mr. Voorhees on August 7, last. The Lehigh Valley Railroad company resumed possession of its line on August 8, and the rules in question have not been rescinded. I am, yours very respectfully,

E. P. WILBUR, President.

DON'T KNOW OF IT.

NEW YORK, December 6.—George Gould made the following statement to-day in regard to the published report that a Mrs. Nicolaus had brought suit against him for $40,000: "I know nothing of any suit such as mentioned in the morning papers. No legal papers have been served on me; if any should be they will be referred to my lawyers. I never gave this woman any check for any amount It is evidently a scheme to extort money from me. The woman mentioned came to my office about a year ago, claiming to know many prominent people in Chicago and New York, some of whom I knew, among them Mr. George Mr. Pullman, of Chicago, and ex-Mayor Hewitt, of New York, and representing that she was in destitute circumstances and wished to get back to her home. I supplied her with money enough to enable her to do so, for in the cases of ladies I never give passes. It seems she did not go, and, called several time at my office afterward, I had to decline to see her.

PROBABLE DATE.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—State Republican Chairman Gilkeson adheres to his opinion that the last State convention will have to be reconvened to nominate a candidate to succeed the late Gen. William Lilly as Congressman-at-Large. January 3 will probably be the date selected. In the list of persons "mentioned" for the honor are James S. Biery, of Allentown; Thomas V. Cooper, of Media; B. Frank Eshelman, of Lancaster; Maj. Everett Warren, of Scranton; Gen. Frank Reeder, of Easton, and James R. Young, of Philadelphia.

MR. CESSNA MUCH WORSE.

BEDFORD, Pa., December 6.—The condition of Hon. John Cessna took a serious turn this morning. For the past two weeks the veteran statesman has been slowly losing ground, and unless a decided improvement comes before long it is thought that he cannot long survive. The vitality and nerve displayed during his sickness has surprised his fellow citizens, especially as he is now nearing his 74th year. This evening he is resting somewhat easier.

SAD ACCIDENT.

HUNTINGDON, December 6.—Jesse R. McCrum, a Pennsylvania railroad extra brakeman, had both legs cut off by the cars at this place last night. He was working with one of the shifting crews in the yards, and being suddenly jolted from a car fell to the track. One car passed over both legs, with the result as stated. The left leg was severed two inches below the knee, while the stump on the right leg is five inches below the knee. McCrum is resting well and will likely recover. About a year ago, and near the same spot, William Crownover met with a similar accident and recovered.

HAVE CONFIDENCE IN BOYS.

All children, and boys especially like to plan their own affairs, and where there is no question of right or wrong involved, should be allowed and encouraged to do so.

With children who have good strong will power the constant directing of all their little plans and ideas is exasperating, and opposition with ill humor is often the result.

With children of a sensitive nature, or with weak will power, the child's own individuality is perhaps crushed out of him or else he retires within himself and shuts his lips tightly against the confidence which every parent craves from a child.

Let a boy feel that you are always interested in his plans, no matter how absurd they may be; the time is coming when you can no longer command him, and this will be the strongest hold you can have upon him.

Take him into your counsels; ask his advice upon family matters. His self-respect and judgment will grow because he has been looked up to by older people.

If he prefers to spend all his leisure time with his companions at their home rather than his own, look for the reason in yourself rather than in the boy, and never twit or "nag" him because of it.

Rather let him feel that the household is not complete without him, and let your love and trust in him shine through your welcome with every return.

He may not be worthy of it, but he will grow to it and will come back to you and to his home. He cannot help it if you are faithful to your trust in him.

HOW MILLIONAIRES ARE MADE.

From the Real Estate Record.

The present site of Chicago was sold by the Indians for three cents an acre. Taking the most valuable corner lot in the business part of the city as a criterion, the value has increased 130,000,000 per cent. In 1830, when there were fifty people scattered around Fort Dearborn, a quarter of an acre of land in what is known as the "heart of Chicago" could have been purchased for $20.

In the past sixty three years there were only two years in which the city did not show an increase in population over the previous year. But there were thirteen years during that time when this quarter of an acre of land showed a decrease in value, according to the real estate appraisement.

The greatest increase per cent. recorded was in 1835, when it rose in value 400 per cent. over the value of the previous year. With our latest knowledge of real estate "booms" it is easy to picture the vision the owner must have had of the future glory of Chicago when he raised the price of his corner lot from $200 in 1834 to $5,000 in 1835. To-day the lot is assessed at $1,200,000.

ROBBERS' BIG WORK.

JOHNSTOWN, Dec. 7.—At Cresson early this morning officers captured Charles Kennedy, who is charged with being a member of the gang of six desperadoes who made an all night raid over a large part of Northern Cambria county last night. They stole a hand car from Spangler station, on the Clearfield and Cresson branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and during the night raided Carrollton, Bradley Junction, Hastings, Kaylor and several isolated settlements. At all the places visited they terrorized the people and took what they wanted to eat and drink, while at Kaylor, where the station agent tried to defend the company's property, he was overpowered, disarmed and the money drawer robbed.

The last foray was made at Cresson, where they robbed the ticket office. Five of the robbers are still at large, but the local officers and railroad detectives have been on their trail since daybreak and are pushing them hard.

A FATAL FIRE.

PITTSBURGH, December 5. Fire to-night damaged Turner hall, Allegheny, to the extent of $10,000 and caused the loss of two lives and probably three. At 8.30 o'clock Mrs. Benninghoff, wife of the janitor, discovered the hall was on fire. She sent her eldest son, Paul, out to give the alarm and rushed to the fourth floor to save her three younger children. That was the last seen of Mrs. Benninghoff alive. After the flames were extinguished a search was made for the family. Mrs. Benninghoff and her three children were found suffocated. The mother and her daughter Emma, aged 5, were dead. The two boys, Eddie and Carl, aged 7 and 4, respectively, are still unconscious and it is feared the latter will die.

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IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

Proceedings of Yesterday's Session of the National Legislature.

WASHINGTON, December 7.—The Senate was in a quiet mood to-day. There was not a particle of politics in the atmosphere, and nothing was done beyond the passage of some half dozen bills of no public importance. The only discussion of any length was over a small private bill involving the reopening of a judgment of the quartermaster general as to the allowance to be made for property taken from a farm on which Fort Sedgwick, in the District of Columbia, was erected during the war. In spite of strenuous opposition on the part of Mr. Chandler, of New Hampshire, and Mr. Platt, of Connecticut, the bill was passed by a vote of 35 to 11. Some political work was cut out for next week, however, Mr. Hill having given notice that he would ask the senate to take up for consideration on Monday the bill to repeal the federal election laws; and Mr. Morrill, of Vermont, having given notice that he would address the senate on Wednesday on a resolution offered by him to refer to the finance committee "all parts of the president's message relating to the tariff, internal revenue and income tax, together with that relating to those who, it is said, after a hard struggle for tariff reform, are solemnly pledged to it." This is supposed to be Mr. Morrill's sarcastic way of giving notice that he intends to pay his respects to the democratic party. The senate adjourned till Monday.

IN THE HOUSE.

The resolution providing for a joint committee to investigate the personnel of the navy, which reached the no quorum stage in the house yesterday, attained the same progress to-day. A roll call was concluded, showing the presence of but 219 members, when the expiration of the morning hour prevented further proceedings.

General debate on the bankruptcy bill was concluded, Mr. Bailey, of Texas, summing up in opposition and Mr. Oates, of Alabama, speaking for the measure. Considerable interest was manifested in both arguments.

A resolution granting the use of the monument grounds and public reservations to the executive committe of the Knights of Pythias for the annual encampment of that order to be held next August, was adopted.

At 4.50 the house adjourned.

A ROBBER IN A BOX.

OMAHA, Dec. 7.—Wells, Fargo & Co. have just discovered what they think was a bold and unique scheme to rob their car of $100,000 Saturday. The money was shipped to Sheridan, Wyo., and in the same car an unknown man shipped a mysterious looking box to Sheridan by express. The morning after its arrival at Sheridan the box was found empty, with the lid broken from the interior.

It is thought the box contained the robber, who was to break out en route and secure the money. The plan, the officers think, miscarried because much baggage was piled on the mysterious box, rendering the effort of the supposed robber to free himself useless.

A WELL KNOWN MAN DEAD.

BLOOMSBURG, Pa., December 7.—Rev. David Jewitt Walter, one of the best known men of northwestern Pennsylvania died here this morning, aged 79 years.

He was born in Wilkesbarre, January 16, 1815, and has been identified with the Wyoming valley all his life. Graduating at Williams college in 1834, he was one of its oldest alumni and a member of the K. A. society in 1837, he graduated at Princeton theological seminary and in the following year located at Bloomsburg. He was largely interested in manufacturing enterprise in Pennsylvania and Tennessee. He was president of the North and West Branch railway, which he constructed, from its organization.

WANTS TO BE CALLED "MR."

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—During the examination of veniremen ie the Pendergast case this morning, the prisoner objected to Assistant State Attorney Todd calling him "Pendergast." "I object to being called Pendergast," he said. "Let him call me Mr. Pendergast when he refers to me." "All right, Mr. Pendergast," said Attorney Todd, in his suavest manner. No more jurors were obtained, but three veniremen were passed and will probably go through when a fourth is accepted. The state has used seven peremptory challenges and the defense four. Pendergast again interrupted the examination and was suppressed by the court.

SUDDEN DISAPPEARANCE.

One of the most sudden disappearances on record occurred at the Bellefonte council chamber Monday night. The dispatch with which three members of that august body disappeared far excels Kellar's slight-of-hand performance and, we think warrants the demand for better quarters for the councilman to meet in,- some room from which it will be impossible for such sudden disappearances to take place. As it is now it reminds one very much of a penny-in-the-slot machine, a sort of a now-you-see-them and now-you-don't aggregation. For ourselves, we always like to see boys be boys and men be men, but we don't like to see men-boys, it is too ridiculous.

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—While coasting on Spring street Wednesday night Mr. Samuel Geiswaite had the misfortune to get two fingers badly used up.

—Mr. Walter Crosthwaite, who some time ago severed his connections with the *Centre Magnet*, has started a job printing office of his own in Southern Bellefonte.

—The bolt in the town council Monday night cannot strictly be classed as a party transaction, although in every respect and detail it was most positively a parting one.

—In Millheim eggs are selling for 30 cents a dozen and the *Journal* says only the rich of that place enjoy them. In Bellefonte they are not selling at any price.

—The Salem Lutheran church at Aaronsburg was re-dedicated last Sunday December 3rd. The dedicatory sermon was preached by Dr. H. O. Holloway, of Mifflintown.

—J. C. Weaver, the deputy sheriff-elect, will soon sell off his stock and farming utensils preparatory to moving to Bellefonte to take up the line of his duties on January 1st

—Emanuel Brown on Wednesday opened up a wholesale oyster saloon in the vacant room next Lyon & Co's store. We wish him success, and he will get it if he puts an ad. in the NEWS.

—A Cambria county citizen, prints this legend on his letter heads: "Ezekiel Hesper, Esq., wagonmaker, undertaker and Justice of the Peace." He is a candidate for supervisor and an applicant for the postoffice.

—The leader in the opposition to the Water street boardwalk is advocating an increase in the expenditure for street lights of upwards of one thousand dollars per year. The borough is too poor for one but rich enough for the other.

—The Middleburg *Post* says that four hundred hunters were encamped in the mountain north of Milroy last week. On the Centre county side they use dogs, but on the Mifflin county side they shoot and poison them like flies.

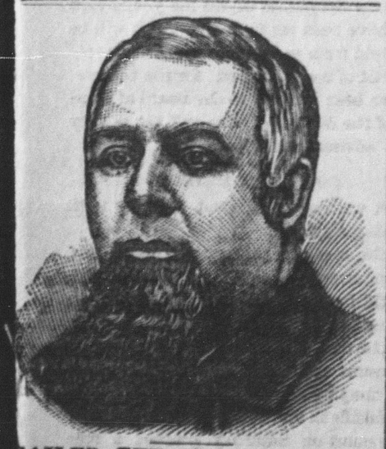
—Mr. Geo. Gentzel, of Spring Mills, wishes to have it made known that he raised 126½ bushels of cloverseed this year. He also moved his saw mill to Beaver Dam school house where he manufactures all kinds of lumber.

—The Howard G. A. R post will hold a fair and festival on Friday, Saturday and Monday, December 22nd, 23rd and 25th. Every effort is being put forth to make this an unusually enjoyable, as well as financially beneficial event. A large oil painting is to be chanced off.

—From our neighboring exchanges we note that la grippe seems to be en rampant everywhere. Some few deaths have resulted therefrom in near-by towns, and hundreds are afflicted. In Bellefonte, we are glad to say, there are very few cases, at least serious cases, of this troublesome malady.

—Beginning with next week the railroad shops at Altoona which for the last few months have only been run at 8 hours per day and 5 days in a week, will again start on full time, 12 hours per day and 6 days in a week. This will prove good news to the hundreds of workmen employed in those shops.

—Judge Krebs, while holding court on Tuesday, became so ill he was obliged to adjourn court. As he could get no Judge to sit in his place, all cases were discontinued until the next term of court, and consequently all recognizances forfeited. Owing to this state of affairs Judge Gordon's first session of court will be a big one. Judge Krebs is suffering from a severe attack of la grippe.



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SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS.

What They expect to Do, According to Rev. L. S. Wheeler.

Rev. L. S. Wheeler, in his discourse last night, said: "People are very much exercised over our work here, and are afraid we have come here to revolutionize the practice of everybody, and reverse the current of society in respect to the Sabbath. They think we are silly enough to suppose that we are going to get everybody to keep the Sabbath instead of Sunday and convert the world, or something of that sort.

This is a mistake; there is no Seventh Day Adventist minister in all the world that even supposes or infers such a thing. Why it is not our object nor work; we do not expect to do any more than our Saviour, and he could not change the phariseeism of the church in his day, wtih all his divine power. He, and all his apostles and diciples, could not do it. God has not been able to do it in six thousand years, for he will never force the human mind. No, the world the flesh and the Devil, Baylon, the Beast and mother of harlots, with the isms and creeds that belong to them, are in the broad may and all heaven can never arrest their march hellward.

But when the world had become corrupt in the days that were before the flood, God in his mercy sent a message. not to change them all but to call out a few—"the little flock," "a remnant" "for his name"—and they were so few that they could all get in a little ark, besides the beasts and other storage, with room enough and to spare. His spirit did not always strive with man, and when these few were safe, he swept away the rest in a deluge of wreck and ruin and flood.

Before God destroyed Sodom he called out Lot. When he destroyed Jerusalem and brought a ruinous devastation of war and fire and blood, he called out "such as would be saved" and taught them that at the appearance of certain signs to flee to the mountains. And so says Paul, a "remnant shall be saved." "Even so at this present time also there is a remnant according to the election of grace."—Rom 11:5.

Just before the end of this world the Bible presents a repetition of this scene. —"As it was in the days of Noah" "and the Dragon was wroth with the remnant of her seed which keep the commandments of God and have the testimony of Jesus" —Rev. 12:17. "He that hath an ear let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.

Because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spue thee out of my mouth"—Rev. 3:13-17. "Babylon, the great is fallen, and I heard a voice from heaven saying, come out of her my people that thee partake not of her sins and that ye receive not of her plagues."—Ch. 18:4. This is the work God will do for this world and is doing it.

THE WHEELER DOCTRINE.

We give to-day considerable space to a review of Rev Wheeler's discourse of Wednesday evening. We do so for several reasons among which we might mention, first: Because the DAILY NEWS is a newspaper, and prints all the news. Second, because we believe in free speech and think that every man should be given a chance to be heard. Third, because we believe in the trite saying "give a fool rope enough and he will hang himself," only in this case we do not wish to be understood as calling Rev. Wheeler a fool. Literally, we mean, that if he is given opportunity enough the doctrine he preaches will of itself convince people who think and search the scriptures for themselves, that it is all wrong and not suited to this advanced stage of civilization and christianity.

In his discourse Rev. Wheeler admits that they do not expect to change either the Sunday or the people, but are striving to gather in "the few." From his further statements and quotations one can very easily infer that he refers to "the few who will be saved." While to a regular orthodox christian it would seem as if "the few" who he succeeds in "gathering in" will be only the very impressionable ones—somewhat weak-minded, if we may be permitted to use the expression.

God does not seek to coerce the minds of men, but to draw them to him and bind them fast with chains of love. Why then should He condemn to eternal punishment any of his children for the mere fact of keeping sacred the Holy Sabbath as set apart by the laws of the land, based on facts found in the Holy Scriptures and which we now know and observe as the first day in the week?

As truly as God says "as it was in the days of Noah," etc., does he also say "toward the latter end there shall rise up false prophets and teachers, who shall seek to lead ye astray. * * * Beware ye of them," etc.

—The action of a number of Beech Creek coal operators in making a further reduction in the earnings of the miners by cutting the price paid for yardage 25 per cent., threatens another suspension of mining in that region. The miners have issued a letter to the operators of Osceola Mills and along the Beech Creek Railroad inviting them to a conference to be held in that place Friday next to consider the question.

—Don't forget the first anniversary ball of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, which will be held in the old skating rink next Thursday evening, December 14th. There will be refreshments from 8 to 10 o'clock and at the latter hour the grand march will take place. Good music will be a feature of the evening. The committee having the affair in charge are Messrs. James Shorter, William Sanders, Geo. Freeman, William Green and John Mackey.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS TO BE RECORDED.

In accordance with a recent act of the legislature all births and deaths occurring on and after September 1st, 1893, are to be recorded in a book for that purpose in the Recorder's office in every county in this Commonwealth. The collecting and return of these statistics shall be the duty of the registration assessor.

Recently the county commissioners sent out return blanks and instructions to the various assessors in Centre county. In carefully reading over his instructions one assessor was dumbfounded to learn that he was required to at once make a full return of all the deaths and births that had occurred in his precinct up to December 20th. Of course, it was not a very difficult task to collect the statistics up to date; and the assessor might even have been able to predict the probable number of deaths, but the babies, ah! that was the sticking point. You see, the assessor was a young, unmarried man, and somewhat bashful into the bargain, and how to get the probable number of births was a mystery too "awful to contemplate."

The assessor being a conscientious man and believing fully that when a man was elected to fill an office he should faithfully carry out all instructions in the performance of his duties, he had made up his mind that "if he must he must," and was about starting out on his first trip of investigation when he received a second letter of instructions annulling the facts contained in the first and ordering him to collect said statistics up to December first, only. To say the official was much relieved would not half express his state of feelings. Of course, it is now needless to say that the correct returns will be speedily forthcoming.

MEEK FOR SURVEYOR.

A Washington dispatch says: State Senator P. Gray Meek, of Bellefonte, has been here for the past two days looking after his candidacy for appointment as suryeyor of the port of Philadelphia. The senator was accompanied by two or three prominent Pennsylvanians. It is believed here that Senator Meek is easily in the lead of all his competitors. He is indorsed by W. U. Hensel, George A. Jenks, ex-Governor Curtin, James M. Guffey, B. F. Meyers, C. F. Black and State Senator George Ross. Among others who recommend him are Democratic Congressmen James B Reilly, G. F. Kribbs, S. P. Wolverton, J. C. Sibley and F. E. Beltzhoover. Congressman C. J. Erdman is interested. in the candidacy of J. Marshall Wright for naval officer and ex-Minister Merritt for superintendent of the mint. He, therefore, prefers not to indorse any candidate for surveyor of the port. Should he recommend any one it will be Senator Meek. The Democratic congressmen intend to request that the surveyor shall be appointed from the interior of Pennsylvania and not from Philadelphia.

Most of the national delegates from Pennsylvania, as well as most of the county chairmen, have recommended Senator Meek. Samuel T. Jaquett and John A. Ward, both of Philadelphia, are among the candidates. Neither of them is strongly indorsed, as compared with Senator Meek.

MOSHANNON ITEMS.

Two young men of Roland, took a long trip to see their best girls. They freighted it to Lock Haven then up the Beech Creek to Gillantown station.

We are sorry to record the serious illness of Mrs. Beightol, but trust she will soon recover.

Mr. Cartwright, of Moshannon, is seriously contemplating moving from here to Roland. We hope he will not as he would be much missed.

A protracted meeting is in progress in the Methodist church in this place.

After a protracted visit away among friends Mrs. William Kerin and daughter, Miss Nellie, returned home on Sunday.

Mr. Aaron Lanager, of Keating, is visiting his mother, Mrs. John Smoke, in this place.

Messrs. John Smoke and Ozro Hanscome have secured a large job of tie hauling.

BOLD BOY.

HOTEL CHANGES HANDS.

The *Reporter*, Centre Hall, says: The license of the Coburn hotel was at this week's court transferred from the late proprietor Willis Rishell to R. O. Braught, who lately was engaged in the livery business at Coburn. Willis will go to Harrisburg where he will take posession of the Metropolitan hotel, corner 6th and Walnut streets. Mr. Brought takes posession of the Coburn house on Thursday of this week.

THE NEEDLEWORK GUILD,

The members of the Bellefonte Needlework Guild desire to thank the merchants who have so kindly donated clothing material, shoes, money, etc., for the benefit of the poor. Miss Mary Thomas will be at the W. C. T. U. rooms, as usual, on Saturday afternoon, from 4 to 6 o'clock. Contributions of unsewed material and clothing are earnestly solicited. A meeting of the Guild will be held on Monday next at 2 o'clock p. m.

THE COURT'S DOINGS.

Mrs. Lohr Gets a Verdict and Mary Blake Given $595 for a "Busted" Heart.

In the hall of Justice on Wednesday considerable business of vital importance was transacted. The jury in the case of Isabella Lohr vs. Philipsburg Borough, returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $1,800.00, subject to the opinion of the Court on a question of law reserved. It is generally conceeded, however, that the verdict will be allowed to stand.

This will be a dear lesson to our neighboring borough. When the case was first tried in this court a jury awarded Mrs. Lohr $957. The borough authorities were not satisfied and carried the case to the Supreme Court. That high tribunal reversed the decision because of an error in the charge of the Court and sent the case back for a new trial. This has just now ended with a verdict as above recorded. It has already cost Philipsburg borough several hundred dollars in costs and attorney's fees and, all-told, it will make a very expensive pavement.

The next case on trial was that of Mary A. Blake against L. M. Glover. This was an action for breach of promise. The particulars of the case are about as follows: At the time that Mr. Glover won the "dear" affections of the fair Mary both were residents of Saxon, Bedford county. Mr. Glover is a furnaceman, and was working at the furnace in that place. Later he quit work there and came to Bellefonte. Shortly after his arrival here he wrote Miss Mary to come to Bellefonte and they would get married. She came, she saw, but failed to conquer. By this time Glover had lost the matrimonial fever and entirely evaded any reference to marital relations. Mary, failing to induce him to make good his promise, instituted breach of promise proceedings. The evidence in the case was real pert and interesting. The parties are not young and foolish children, but both are old enough to have better sense. However that may be, the jury, after hearing and carefully considering all the testimony offered in evidence, came to the conclusion that Mary was badly in need of a balm and so rendered a verdict in her favor to the amount of $595.00. Mary has obtained her verdict but, according to facts brought out in the evidence, she will have a hard time realizing any profit out of it.

The next case brought to trial was one of ejectment by James and Lot M. Kimport against M. G. Brown. Owing to the case being brought in the wrong way the plaintiffs were non suited and the cause continued at their expense.

The last case taken up on Wednesday was that of Lot M. Kimport vs. M. G. Brown, an action for trespass.

MUSICAL CONVENTION.

A musical convention will be held at Madisonburg under the direction of G. E. Wise and Prof. Lowell Moyer, assisted by Miss Bessie Stover, as organist, commencing on Monday evening, Dec. 25th with a grand concert. There will be three sessions daily. Singers from a distance are cordially invited to attend, and will be entertained free. Class Tickets, 50 cents; Single Session, 10 cents; Concert 25 cents. The proceeds are for the benefit of the three churches of the town. For further particulars address either of the following committee: E. S. Shafer, A. J. Hazel, J. F. Kern, Wm. A. Minnich; J. W. Hazel, J. E. Miller.

—On Allegheny St., near Curtin, where the Street committee on their own responsibility undertook to grade down the street, the water main has been left with but a covering of four inches of clay. This will now compel the Water committee to take up the pipe and dig a ditch two feet deep and probably three hundred feet long, all through solid rock, and put the pipe down in order that there will be covering sufficient to protect it from freezing during cold weather. This necessarily will incur considerable expense, which is probably the reason the chairman of the Street committee says the borough is too poor to build a $160 boardwalk on Water street.

"An Irishman's Luck," in Garman's opera house Wednesday evening, drew a small audience, although, it is generally conceeded, the play was the equal of any that has visited Bellefonte this season. Stephen Maley, as Dennis McDowd, was a whole show in himself, and kept the audience in a continual good humor.

—It is a pretty hard hearted doctor who, once in the house, will refuse to render medical attendance to a lady in a critical condition, unless his pay is guaranteed by some responsible person, and yet it is said there are such doctors in this world—even in Bellefonte.

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FILLING THE WHEEL.

Jury Commissioners Samuel Aley, of Walker, and George Bower, of the "lower end," with deputy sheriff George Crawford, as clerk are now hard at work selecting the requisite number of reputable and law abiding citizens of Centre county to fill the jury wheel for the year 1894. Mr. Aley and Mr. Bower are perfectly at home with the work they have to do, as they have served in that capacity for a number of years. As soon as the wheel is filled the jury for the January term of court will be drawn.

—James Harris & Co. evidently believe in making the necessary display. They have painters hard at work repainting the large sign on the southwest corner of their building. A big sign is also to be painted on the north end, above Finkbinder's photograph gallery. This one is destined to catch the eye of all strangers as they march up the new boardwalk on Water street, from the Central railroad depot to High street. There is nothing like judicious advertising. Just try it once by putting an ad. in this paper.

—Mr. Solomon Confer, of Milesburg, was sixty-four years old on Monday and a large crowd of his friends gathered to his home and did the honors of the occasion.

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EDWARD T. TUTEN.

Local Department.

—The Howard rolling mill started up full handed for single term last Thursday.

—The frame work of the new engine house for the C. R. R. is now up and ready for the roof.

—The jury commissioners are about completing their work of filling the wheel for the year 1894,

—Will Water street be graded and have additional light placed along it? is the question now asked by many.

—Haw very ready some people are "to bury the hatchet," especially when some other people pay the funeral expenses.

—The Bellefonte Steam Laundry started up on trial Saturday. This week they are hard at work washing Bellefonte clothes.

—A marriage license was granted in Hollidaysburg on Tuesday to Elias H. Smith and Mary E. Saunders, both of Bellefonte.

—The Karthaus Times says that a hunting party led by Robert Haines, of Snow Shoe, killed seven deer and a large bear on Spruce run last week.

—One hundred thousand bushels of apples were shipped from Bedford county this fall. Fifty thousand dollars isn't bad for one county's apple crop.

—The Bellefonte attorneys are having no picnic trying cases before Judge McPherson this week. His Honor is all for business and no man for foolishness.

—Rev. Sole preached to George L. Potter Post, No. 261, of Milesburg on Sunday. There was a large attendance, many members of Gregg Post, No. 95, going down.

—There is every indication of a lively council meeting next Monday night. The bill for the funeral expenses for the "burying of the hatchet" will be presented for payment.

—The Water street boardwalk is progressing finely. About two days more and pedestrians can go from High street to the new depot high and dry above mud and water.

—We are informed that Mr. William Daley will be conductor of the construction train on the new railroad. Mr. Daley is a man who can fill the position to perfection.

—Clinton county postmasters appointed Monday were E. P. Trexler, at Beech Creek; H. A. Wilson, Hammersley's Forks; J. H. Chatham, Jr., McElhattan; and W. H. Clark, Mill Hall.

—On Monday, December 4th, the 5-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moore, died at their residence in Howard township. The funeral occurred on Wednesday, Rev. Lock, officiating.

—The Bellefonte councilmen have been sampling the Water street boardwalk this morning; that is, we suppose they were, judging from the way some of them paraded back and forth on the same.

—The turn table at the new depot has been put in place and a day or two more will see the siding laid and all necessary connections made. The new boardwalk will be completed to-morrow down to the depot platform.

—The condition of Hon. John Cessna, of Bedford, who has been seriously ill, has taken a change for the better and there are now hopes that he will recover. This will, of course, be good news to the many friends of the venerable statesman in this vicinity.

—On Tuesday the World's Fair exhibit of minerals, mines and mining, etc., arrived at the State College. It took four large cars to transport the exhibit, which will now be arranged in the various departments at the College, where they will be kept until called for by the state.

—The Huntingdon Presbytery convened in special session at Tyrone on Tuesday and dismissed, at his own request, Rev. W. A. Jackson to the Allegheny conference of the United Brethren church. The pastoral relations existing between Rev. F. T. Wheeler and the churches of Irvona and Coalport, were also dissolved, at Rev. Wheeler's request, owing to bad health.

—All the furnishings of the Pennsylvania State World's Fair building will be sold at public auction at Harrisburg, commencing Tuesday morning, December 19th at 10 o'clock. Sale will be held in Montgomery & Co's ware rooms, Walnut street near the railroad. The entire contents of the building will be sold. Catalogues of same will be furnished upon application to A. B. Farquhar, Harrisburg, Pa.

—Bellefonte may not be able to support a band, but it certainly has two orchestras of which it can boast. Prof. Spankenberg's orchestra, and Meyer's orchestra are two musical organizations of which any town might be proud. The lovely music rendered by the latter Monday evening was in itself a treat to hear. Would it not be a good idea for Mr. Meyer and his orchestra to give a musicale some time in the near future. With three or four good vocal solos, and a quartette or so, they could get up a programme that would certainly attract and hold any crowd. Just try it once, Mr. Meyer.

JEPHTHAH AND HIS DAUGHTER.

A Brilliant Rendition of This Lovely Cantata—Grand Scenic Effects—Splendid Tableaux, Etc., Etc.

A large and exclusive audience assembled in Garman's opera house Monday evening to witness the rendition of the beautiful Cantata of Jephthah and his Daughter by all local talent, under the direction of Prof. J. E. Kane, of Chicago. The following cast of characters took the prominent parts:

CASTE.

Jephthah ninth ruler of Isreal	Dr J C McEntire
Shemuel, Prince of Gilead	Lee B. Woodcock.
Jason, Ebzan — Brother of Jeptha	Jas R. Hughes. Roy McCalmont.
Jerial, a Gileadite	A Lukenbach
Prophet,	Dr. Chas. E. Rhone
Herald	Mr. C. C. Bell.
Marah, daughter of Jephthah	Ella Twitmire
Adina, Princess of Gilsad, Shemuel's sister	Marie G. Meek.
Ariel, friend of Marah	May Lundy.
Prophetess	Henrietta Butts
Vashti, a jewess	Sadie Bayard

Meyer's orchestra was present and opened the entertainment with a thrilling overture. It was just 8.15 when the curtain went up revealing a picture of amazing beauty—Twenty-four beautiful maidens arrayed in lovely costumes of pale pink, blue and white and a score of handsomely attired gentlemen in a kneeling position—representing the Israelites worshipping the idol "Baalim." The information of Herald (C. C. Bell) that the king of Ammon had crossed the river Jordan threatening them with destruction called forth admonition from the Prophet (Charles Rhone) to seek Jephthah and enlist his aid in making war against the Ammonites. The Prophetess, (Miss Henrietta Butts) however, admonishes them to forsake their false god and supplicate Jehovah.

In scene II the curtain lifted revealing Jephthah (Dr. McEntire) and his few followers, making merry in the land of Tob, and it is here his brothers—(J. R. Hughes and Roy McCalmont) Jason and Ebzan, the messengers of Prince Shemuel (Lee Woodcock)—find him and ask of him his aid. Jephthah refuses but finally, on the intercession of his daughter (Miss Ella Twitmire) consents, on the promise to be made ruler over all Israel if successful, to return.

In scene III is presented the royal palace with Prince Shemuel and Princess Adina (Marie Meek) on the throne. Then it is that Adina shows her grief at the threatened danger but is greatly comforted by her brother. While waiting the arrival of Jephthah the royal family is entertained by a score of children in a march and drill, after which Herald announces Jephthah's return amid scenes of great rejoicing. He is made ruler over all Israel and the curtain descends on a grand tableau, representing the children of Israel in supplication. This closing tableau was made more brilliant by the use of calcium lights which, as one young man remarked, made all the young ladies "look like angels," and he was not far wrong.

Then came the battle with the Ammonites in which Jephthah and his followers were successful, though not without loss to themselves and the death of Shemuel. The fifth scene represented Adina searching for her brother on the battlefield, whom she found, only to see die. At the ending of this scene there was a grand tableau in whice Miss Mamie Steel was shown as an angel of promise.

In the 6th scene Jephthah's daughter and her friends go out to meet her father amid scenes of great rejoicing. The grand triumphant march was well performed throughout. The meeting of father and daughter was a sad scene, inasmuch as Jephthah had made a solemn vow to offer up his only child as a living sacrifice, should he be successful in the war against the king of Ammon. Marah (Jephthah's daughter) showed her noble spirit by entire resignation to her father's vow, and was greatly comforted by her friend Ariel (Miss May Lundy).

Marah's farewell to her friends was one of the most beautiful scenes of the evening and was enacted to perfection. In the last scene, when Jephthah was about to make good his vow, by the sacrifice of his daughter, his hand was stayed by a voice of an angel who forbids the rites and dedicates Marah to the temple, which dedication occured with much rejoicing and amid showers of gold. The last tableau represented the temple with shower of gold. In it were the statues of three angels represented by Misses Mabel Cowdrick, Mamie Steele and Martha McEntire. This was a fitting climax to the rendition of so grand a piece.

The ladies and gentlemen composing the cast, as a rule, played their parts well, but the singing and acting of Miss Twitmire, Miss Meek, Miss Lundy, Miss Butts and Miss Bayard, and of Messrs. Woodcock, Hughes, Rhone and Luckenbach are deserving of especial mention. Dr. McEntire acted his part very well, but he had too severe a cold to sing the difficult parts assigned him. As pianist, Miss Grace Lukenbach is deserving of special commendation, while Meyers' famous orchestra must also be given due praise. Exclusive of the children the following young ladies and gentlemen took part in the play:

Misses Ella Twitmire, Henrietta Butts Tessie Lyon, Mabel Cowdrick, Jennie Irvin, Leona and Lilly Maitland, Tillie Wilson Lizzie Smith, May Lundy Mary Meek, Nellie Meek, Olive Steele, Mamie Steele, Ella Gault, Nora Stover, Martha McEntire Hattie Mann, Blanche Hayes, Emma Aikens, Maggie Bell, Grace Lukenbach, Annie Lose, Louise Kellerman, Lida Benner, Gertrude Irvin, Sadie Bayard, Mabel Gramley, Tessie Peters, Mrs. Coke Bell, and Messrs. Dr. J. C. McEntire, Lee B. Woodcock, A. Lukenbach, Dr. Charles Rhone, John Bell, Geo. R. Meek, J. R. Hughes, Roy McCalmont, Harris Heylman, Roger Bayard, Coke Bell, Emanuel Markle, John Walker, Will Smith, John Noll, Geo. L. Williams, Frank Bassett, David Steele and Charles Case.

All in all the entertainment proved a great success, which was due both to the ability of those taking part, and also in a great measure to the wonderful training powers of Prof. Kane, who is deserving of the highest enconiums possible to bestow.

THE C. R. R. OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Its Schedule for Next Week and List of Station Agents.

As announced in Tues ay's NEWS, Mr. J. W. Gephart, Superintendent of the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, spent Tuesday night at Jersey Shore in consultation with Superintendent Palmer, of the Beech Creek, making the necessary arrangements preparatory to getting up a schedule of trains for the new road. The task is a greater one than was at first contemplated, consequently the full table is not complete, and the one now in course of preparation will only be a temporary one. It will probably be changed within the next thirty days, and maybe by the first of January. The present schedule will be arranged for two round trips daily. So far as we are now able to give it the service as arranged will be as follows:

Train No. 1 will leave Bellefonte at 7.15 a. m., arriving at Mill Hall at 8.30, where connections will be made with train west on the Beech Creek at 8.35.

Train No. 2 will leave Mill Hall at 8.45 a. m., arriving in Bellefonte at 9.55.

Train No. 3 will leave Bellefonte at 3.50 p. m., arriving at Mill Hall at 5.00, where connections will be made with train west over the Beech Creek at 5.06.

Train No. 4 will leave Mill Hall at 5.15, arriving in Bellefonte at 6.20.

The time for arrival and departure of trains at intermediate stations has not yet been made out, but will be published just as soon as the table is completed. The above schedule has been arranged more for the local traffic than otherwise. The new schedule to be adopted after January first will be full and comprehensive and afford a thorough and first class service locally as well as to all eastern points.

LIST OF AGENTS.

The list of station agents along the line of the new road, so far as appointed, will be as follows: Bellefonte, L. T. Munson; Zion, J. Philip Gephart; Hublersburg, H. M. Deitrick; Nittany, not named; Huston, R. E. Peck; Lamar, George W. Pletcher; Clintondale, not named; Mackeyville, J. Woods Ferguson; Salona, W. C. Brown; Mill Hall. J. S. Hills, the agent of the Beech Creek railroad company. The engineer of the passenger train will be Charles Gilmour and the conductor will be from the Beech Creek.

The company are working very hard to get everything in a safe and first class condition, which state of things will be well attained by next Monday.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

As announced in this paper last week an act passed by the last session of the legislature requires the assessors in every voting precinct in this commonwealth to make a register of births and deaths. These registers are to be taken twice a year—the first of April and the first of December. In Centre county the work has been about completed but returns from only twenty-two precincts have been brought in. In these twenty-two there was a total of 190 births and 81 deaths since the law went into effect June 6th, 1893. The West precinct of Miles township had the smallest return to make, three births and no deaths. In the west ward of Bellefonte there were seven births and six deaths; in Union township five births and four deaths; the west precinct of Spring had fifteen births and six deaths; Benner had eighteen births and six deaths while the best per cent. of births over deaths was in the North precinct of Rush where the number was sixteen births to three deaths. If the remainder of the county keeps up the record in the same proportion as above, the population in the last six months will show a net increase of about 250, or an average of five hundred a year. Not so bad, after all. In a hundred years we will have thus added fifty-thousand to our population.

—Some people are never satisfied. They croak and croak until someone else undertakes to do a thing, then they everlastingly find fault with it after it is done. In the case of the Water street boardwalk, persons who were loudest in their condemnation for the delay in building the same, now that it is being built, are finding fault with the builders because they did not use trees for upright posts and railroad ties for cross-beams, then build a water tight stone and cement wall all around it to keep the same from wearing out. Verily, this is a world full of fault-finders.

A FLOURISHING TOWN.

The town of Lamar on the line of the new railroad in Nittany Valley is likely to become a place of some importance in the near future. Lands at that place have been laid out in building lots, and sites for manufacturing establishments can be had on reasonable terms. There is the best of water power at Lamar, and the land in the vicinity is underlaid with fire clay and iron ore of the best quality.

THE BOARD OF TRADE.

What It is Doing and What It Might Do

Tuesday evening was the regular time for the meeting of the Bellefonte Board of Trade and about a score of members were present in the Arbitration room of the court house. President James Harris called the board to order and Secretary Clement Dale, Esq., read the minutes, which were approved as read. There were no communications, either written or verbal, to present; no committees of any kind with reports to make, save and except the proposed banquet committee which reported progress. Money sufficient has been subscribed, the cards of invitation printed and will soon be sent out. The menu card, which will be quite an elaborate affair, decorated with designs of local engravings, is being prepared and will be ready in ample time. The committee have received a list of all the guests it is proposed to invite. Of the board of trade about seventy out of a total of eighty-eight members are expected to be present. This was about all the banquet committee had to report.

President James Harris then read a letter he had received from Mr. T Wilson Way, one of the prosperous farmers of Halfmoon township. Mr. Way expressed great interest in the Bellefonte Board of Trade and offered, as a suggestion, that the Board use its influence to induce some party or parties to locate a drain tile factory at Bellefonte. There is ahundance of the right kind of clay and all the other necessary material near at hand for the manufacture of tile pipes. At the present there is very little of this product manufactured in the east, the consumers being obliged to buy from western manufacturers and the excessive freights make the price of the pipes too high to come into general use here. In centre county there are hundreds of acres of the best low lands in the state, which are now too wet to utilize, but which with proper drainage could be made the most valuable of all farm land. If a tile pipe manufactory was started here, there is no doubt but that a ready market would be found near at home for a large quantity of the product, while all additional that could be made would find ready sale in the east. Mr. Way also spoke of the many advantages Bellefonte would now have with a competing line of railroad. President Harris thought the above suggestions worthy of deep consideration, and the members certainly gave it—so deep, in fact, that none of it arose to the surface.

Mr. Edward Rhoads made inquiry if there were any of the small advertising enclosures on hand, as several business firms were anxious to get some to send out. The secretary has a large number of these enclosures on hand and any firm can get all they desire by simply calling on him.

Reference as made to the item of news contained in this paper relative to the dicker for the lease of the car works to a Chester firm of street car manufacturers, but nothing beyond what we have already given was developed save the fact that the name of the gentleman who was here was Mr. Cochran. This seemed to end all business, notwithstanding the fact that President Harris repeatedly asked for someone to propose something for the "good of the order," but as no one proposed the Board adjourned.

Simply as a suggestion the DAILY NEWS asks would it not be a good scheme to have say two members read essays on some important thing every evening and then have the ideas thus advanced undergo a general discussion. It could do no harm, while it would add life to the organization until such a time when more important business would claim its attention. Try it once, gentlemen.

WILL THEY COME?

As stated in Monday's daily parties are interesting themselves to secure a firm of street car manufacturers for the car works in this place. A member of the firm, which is now located in Chester, was in Bellefonte last Friday and was shown the buildings and site in this place. The gentleman seemed very favorably impressed, especially as the several materials used in the manufacture of street cars, can be secured here at considerable less cost than they can in Chester. Coal is cheaper; iron is cheaper; lumber is cheaper; taxes are less, and under these existing conditions there seems to be no good reason why, if our representative citizens put forth the proper effort in the way of inducements, etc., this firm could not be induced to locate in Bellefonte. Of course, the gentleman who was here is only one of a firm, but he was most favorably impressed. So much so that he requested the owners of the car works to send to the firm in Chester drafts and plans of the car works property, and also to make them an offer. These papers were arranged and sent off on Monday and, should they prove satisfactory, Bellefonte will probably ere long have one good, substantial industry.

NOT THE SAME MAN.

There are a number of people in Bellefonte who think the Anarchist Vaillant, who threw the bomb into the chamber of deputies in Paris, the other day, is the same man who was in Bellefonte a couple of years ago and, for a time, done a thriving business here as a fur dresser and rejuvinator. This thought was principally brought about from the fact that it was positively announced that the man had been in Williamsport. Thorough investigation, however, disproves both suppositions. The man that was in Williamsport and the man that was in Bellefonte were one and the same, but he was an entirely different individual, so far as description goes, from the man Vaillant who threw the bomb.

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PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Miss Mame Haley, of Snow Shoe, spent Monday in this place.

Mr. Ira C. Johnson, of Jacksonville, is in Bellefonte courting this week.

After a brief illness Mr. L. T. Munson is again able to be out and around as usual.

We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mr. Monroe Armour at his home on Linn street.

Mrs. John Mattern, of Buffalo Run, is visiting her brother, Mr. C. D. Kreider, on Bishop street.

We are sorry to record the illness of Miss Benner at her residence on the corner of the diamond.

Mr. Frank Warfel, the genial freight agent for the C. R. R. of Pa., spent Sunday in Williamsport.

Mr. S. A. Bell, of Howard street, was suddenly taken ill last Sunday and has been confined to his bed ever since.

Mr. Harvey White, formerly of this place, but now located at Mill Hall, is at present visiting friends in Bellefonte.

Mr. Thomas Fisher, of Fleming, and Mr. "Ciny" Hoffer of Philipsburg, were two visitors in Bellefonte on Thursday.

We are sorry to hear that ex-sheriff Robert Cooke, Jr., is lying very ill with la grippe at his home in Howard borough.

William Harvey Johnstonbaugh has gone to Philadelphia to take charge of the stables of our former townsman, John W. Cooke.

Among the Centre countians in town this week we notice Mr. H. C. Campbell, of Ferguson township, and Mr. Andrew Lytle, of College.

Miss Winifred Meek returned Saturday evening from New York, where she has been in attendance at the New York Musical Conservatory.

Sheriff-elect John P. Condo is around Bellefonte quite frequently now—getting acclimated to the atmosphere of the "home on the hill."

We are sorry to record the fact that Mrs. Daggett and Miss Bessie Muffly are two Bellefonters suffering with an aggravated attack of the grippe.

Kline Woodring, who is connected with the engineering corps on the C. R. R. of Pa., is enjoying a brief vacation, which he is spending with his parents in this place.

Mr. N. S. Bailey, editor of the *Centre Magnet*, is suffering with a severe pain in his back. His condition on Friday was so bad he could not make the journey down town.

J. E. Alters, son of Mr. Joseph Alters, of Spring Mills, is now filling the position at the P. R. R. freight station in this place made vacant by the resignation of Philip Waddle.

Harry L. Fritz, who is now employed as a clerk in the American Express company's office at Williamsport, will shortly resign that position to accept one as express messenger on the C. R. R. of Pa. from Mill Hall to Bellefonte.

THE "PROTECTION" CAME OFF.

On Tuesday evening while Mr. John Anderson and George Harmon were in the kitchen of Anderson's restaurant preparing supper for a number of hungry patrons a large portion of the ceiling came loose and dropped to the floor with a crash, breaking off the stove hearth and badly spoiling the half-cooked supper. The ceiling heretofore has appeared very solid and the only way Mr. Anderson can account for the drop is that the Wilson bill has taken the "protection" (tariff) off of ceilings.

JEPHTHAH TUESDAY NIGHT.

The second performance of Jephthah and his daughter on Tuesday evening was given in a more complete style even than on Monday night. All the leading ladies and gentlemen played their parts to perfection while the support of the chorus, soldiers, etc., was equally as good, and the march and drill of the children was performed as well as it could possibly be done. The audience, however, was not as large as it should have been.

PROSPECTING FOR COAL.

It has been reported by reliable authority that a certain railroad company expects to operate for coal in Sugar Valley in a short time. According to the outcroppings large quantities of bituminous coal could be found there. It will be a good thing for the people of that section who have such a long distance to haul their coal. We hope it will be a success.—Oval Ledger.

WHERE WILL IT GO?

Williamsport and Lock Haven Fighting for It, While Bellefonte Will Get the Nittany Valley Trade.

The following article appeared in Saturday's Lock Haven *Express*:

"The Williamsport papers state that the merchants of that city are expecting an increase of trade after the opening of the Nittany Valley railroad, and liberal inducements will be offered to the people of the valley to ignore Lock Haven and do their trading in Williamsport stores."

The *Times* says: "Williamsport merchants should not neglect the opportunity for increased trade offered them by the opening of the Central Pennsylvania railroad from Mill Hall, in Clinton county, through the famous Nittany Valley. A rich farming community is brought into railroad connection with this city. A little genuine inducement will acquire its patronage. Merchants know this to be a fact from experience."

"If proper encouragement had been given the projectors of the movement for the building of a street car line to connect this city with Mill Hall, the merchants of Lock Haven would have no reason to fear a loss of trade after the opening of the new railroad. The electric cars would have been in operation before this time to Mill Hall if the company met with encouragement instead of objections and hindrances. Without a connection of this kind to afford the Nittany Valley people easy access to this city, the Lock Haven merchants will have to be wide awake if they expect to retain the trade that legitimately belongs to them."

It seems preposterous for either of those towns to be fighting over a thing they are not at all likely to get. Bellefonte will cater for all the trade in Nittany Valley and there is no reason why it will not get it. As to our neighboring towns, there are very serious reasons against them. As to Williamsport, it is entirely too far away, and Lock Haven has no connection with the the new road. Bellefonte is nearest, has close connections, and goods of all kinds can be purchased just as cheap here as they can anywhere else. Why then should the Nittany Valley farmers go either to Lock Haven or Williamsport? There is no sensible reason, and further it is not believed they will.

YOUNG MEN, TAKE NOTICE!

A short notice of admonition and warning may not be out of place at the present time, in view of some of the acts of mischief in which a few of our young men have been indulging of late.

Ringing school bells at unseasonable hours of the night involving trespass, malicious mischief, and disturbing the public peace, on any one of which charges a person is liable to indictment. In addition to that, ringing a bell at an unexpected hour occasions a false alarm, and in consequence when there might be real cause for alarm, the bell's warning tone would be null and void as far as the effect on the public would be concerned. And further with serious sickness in the neighborhood, frightening alarm might prove very disastrous.

In view of the serious aspect of such conduct, the names of all the young men who have been implicated,—which will be withheld from public notice for the present, out of consideration for the parents,—have been handed to the Board of Trustees of the Academy, who will act as they deem advisable and best.

COURT CULLINGS.

Last week court did not adjourn until Saturday afternoon.

In the case of Fannon vs. Thomas the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $160, the value of the horse in question.

In the case of the Danville asylum for the Insane against the borough of Bellefonte the jury returned a verdict in favor of plaintiffs in the sum of $843.48.

The court on Saturday granted a rule for the holding of a special week of court.

This morning Court convened at 9.30 o'clock with Judge Furst presiding. At 10 o'clock Hon. John B. McPherson, president judge of the 12th Judicial District, composed of Lebanon county, made his appearance and took his seat, Judge Furst departing on the train west for Huntingdon where he holds court this week.

The only case taken up this morning was that Geo. W. Jackson vs. the Nittany Valley railroad company. It is still on trial.

FISHER ELECTED CAPTAIN.

The Pittsburg *Chronicle Telegraph* says: "A. F. Read, center rush of the P. A. C. foot ball team, has returned from a visit to Bellefonte, Pa. He reports the election of B. F. Fisher as captain of the State College foot ball team for 1894. J. L. Harris, of new Castle, Pa., who played left end for the State College eleven, is wanted by the University of Pennsylvania team for 1894. Harris will not leave State College, however."